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### OUTLINES.

A woman belonging to the "Flying Column" of the revolutionary movement in Russia, yesterday assassinated Gen. Sakharoff, former minister of war; the task of Witte is becoming more difficult and it is believed that his retirement is near, or a dictatorship will be resorted to in order to pacify Russia——Congress yesterday debated the Panama Canal appropriation and it was charged that a salary of $10,000 a year is paid to a canal press agent; Senator Simmons introduced a bill to establish a permanent commission to investigate the Departments; ship subsidy and freight rate regulation bills were introduced yesterday——During the past year over a million immigrants arrived in the United States but only 46,343 were received in the South, North Carolina getting 183 of them; it is proposed to have the immigrants arrive at different ports for distribution instead of all going principally to New York——The Esch-Townsend bill, redrawn to embody President Roosevelt's plan of railroad rate regulation, was re-introduced in Congress yesterday——Believing that Mr. J. A. Brown's proposition for the cotton growers and spinners to get together on a plan to fix the price of cotton is feasible, a meeting of the board of governors of the American Manufacturers' Association will be held in Charlotte next Saturday to consider the proposed plan——After pleading for his own life in court in New York yesterday, Lawyer Patrick was sentenced to die in the electric chair January 22nd——Thomas P. Wickes, a prominent New York lawyer, was convicted of blackmail yesterday, the evidence showing that he used an alias to help himself blackmail his clients——Senator Depew yesterday resigned as a director of the Equitable Assurance Society but gave no reason——New York markets: Money on call strong and higher at 10 to 25 per cent., closing bid 20, offered at 22; spot cotton quiet, 25 points advance, closing at 12.60; flour firm and nominally higher; wheat firm; No. 2 red, 96 7-8; corn firm, No. 2, 60; oats firm, mixed, 36 1-2; turpentine quiet at 64 3-4 to 65 1-4; rosin quiet.

### WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 6, 1905.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Wednesday, Dec. 6th.

Temperature at 8. A. M., 33 degrees; 8 P. M., 43 degrees; Maximum, 50 degrees; Minimum, 29 degrees; mean, 40 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .85.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 12 feet.

**Weather Forecast.**

For North Carolina—Fair, warmer Thursday. Friday fair; light to fresh northeast winds.

### PORT ALMANAC—Dec. 7.

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| Sun Rises | 6.56 A. M |
| Sun Sets | 4:46 P. M. |
| Day's Length | 9 hrs. 53 min. |
| High Water at Southport | 4:51 A. M. |
| High Water at Wilmington | 7:21 A. M. |

The Czar of Russia is reported to have reviewed the Simnovsky regiment at his Winter palace on Tuesday. We believe he reviewed the regiment—"in a horn."

Under the editorship of Mr. W. E. Faison, The Harbinger, Raleigh's labor paper, has been greatly enlarged and improved. It is a handsome, beautifully printed paper, and is vigorously edited.

An Iowa paper says: "From now on economy must be the watchword in Congress." Not as long as the Panama canal has to be provided for, and the ship subsidy lobby is liable to break into the treasury.

North Carolina must get out of the Territory class in the matter of education. Proper care of the unfortunate insane and more money for education should be the guiding purpose of the next Legislature.

A statistician states that there are 5,000,000 women wage earners in the United States. We hope married men will not try to butt in to say that there are twice that many who get wages whether they earn 'em or not.

"A young man in New York wanted to get a license to marry but the license official made a mistake and issued him a hunting license," says an exchange. Probably the license man couldn't get it out of his head but what the young man wasn't hunting trouble.

Judge Andy Hamilton, the legislative expert of the insurance companies, will remain in Paris and is busy preparing a written statement for the insurance investigation committee. Hamilton's actions make the public believe that he could let a lively cat out of the bag, if he would only do so.

## LOCAL DOTS.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the North Carolina Sorosis will be held in the club rooms in the Odd Fellows' building this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Monday week the Murray Comedy Company will begin an engagement of popular-priced amusement at the Academy of Music, closing the following Saturday night.

—There were sales of rosin after hours on the local market yesterday at $2.90. The cotton market was not quoted locally. The receipts were only 339 bales against 820 same day last season.

—A derailed freight car at Willard yesterday caused a three-hour delay of the train from the North and a delay of about the same to the train going North from Wilmington yesterday morning.

—Sparks from the chimney caused a small fire at 917 South Eighth street, owned by W. M. Cumming and occupied by Richard Nixon, colored, yesterday morning about 8:30 o'clock. The Department responded to an alarm from box 52, but the damage was only trifling.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Miss Elizabeth N. Sawyer, daughter of Rev. E. F. Sawyer, of Elizabeth City, and Mr. R. T. Anson, of Leesburg, Ind.; also Mrs. Hattie Rochelle, of Jacksonville, N. C., and Mr. Robert Chrietzberg, formerly of Mullins, S. C.

—The British steamer Regulus, 858 tons, Capt. Couch, arrived yesterday from St. John's, New Foundland, with cargo of whale meat for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co. The schooner John S. Deering arrived last night at Southport from Carteret, N. J., and will come up this morning.

—Evangelist M. J. Duryea will give his lecture, "In Prison Stripes" at Salvation Army headquarters to-night and at Bladen Street M. E. church to-morrow night. Rev. Mr. Duryea leaves Saturday for other points in the State and the appointments above will afford the last opportunity to hear him for some time.

—In the Mayor's court yesterday Lille Blount, colored, was given 30 days on the county farm for disorderly conduct. Robert Smith, colored, was given 30 days at the quarry for disorderly conduct; Alonzo Millis, white, was let off with the costs for being drunk, and Charles Howard, alias Munford, was fined $5 and costs for drunkenness.

## MARRIED LAST EVENING.

**Miss O'Berry Attractive Young Bride of Mr. Herbert Atkinson.**

In the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends, Miss Male O'Berry and Mr. Herbert Atkinson, popular young people of this city, were quietly married at 6 o'clock yesterday evening at the parsonage of Fifth Street M. E. church, the pastor, the Rev. A. McCullen, officiating. The study was very prettily decorated for the wedding and the cermony was impressively performed. The bride wore a becoming travelling suit of blue silk and immediately after the marriage the couple left for an extended bridal tour North. They will return in about ten days and be at home to friends at Ninth and Dock streets.

Miss O'Berry was formerly of Goldsboro but for several years has resided in this city and is much loved and admired in a wide circle of friends. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Atkinson, of Sloop Point, but now resides in Wilmington where he has a good position in the freight offices of the Atlantic Coast Line.

**For Larceny by Trick.**

Bettie Johnson, colored, was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued by Justice Geo. H. Ward, charging her with larceny by trick from Mr. Wm. Sheehan, who keeps a store at Twelfth and Market streets. Bettie came in the store, bought a dollar's worth of goods, suddenly discovered that she had left her pocket book at home, but said she would take the purchases along and send the money back. Mr. Sheehan later accosted her about her negligence in failing to send the money, but she said she had sent in. The girl, however, by whom she said she had sent the amount, said Bettie had done no such thing and the belief was expressed that she had merely resorted to the lost pocket book subterfuge to get the goods. The woman was placed in jail and will be given preliminary trail to-day before Justice Furlong to whom the case was transferred by Justice Ward.

**Grand Commander Coming.**

Mr. L. A. Dodsworth, of Charlotte, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, of North Carolina, will arrive in Wilmington to officially visit Plantagenet Commandery, No. 1, of this city, on Wednesday night, Dec. 13th. The Templars here are arranging for an elaborate reception of their Grand Commander. A social session and banquet will probably be tendered him in the Masonic Temple.

**The Black Patti Show.**

The Black Patti Troubadours at the Academy of Music last night were seen by a very large audience, most of the number being colored. The attraction was well up to the Black Patti standard. The crowd on the Academy portico was so dense at the opening for rush seats at 8 o'clock last night that the more persistent of them had to be beaten back by police men with clubs so that the doors could be thrown open.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Hall & Pearsall—Liverpool Salt.
Academy of Music—The Fun Furnishers.
St. John's Lodge A. F. & A. M.—Meeting.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

For Rent—Photograph Gallery.

## THE SUPERIOR COURT

### Hilton Lumber Company Against Atlantic Coast Line Resumed Yesterday

### ARGUMENT BY ATTORNEYS

**Case Will Be Completed About Noon To-day—New Suit Instituted by Mrs. Irving Against Summer Rest Property Owners.**

The interesting suit of the Hilton Lumber Company against the Atlantic Coast Line, involving an alleged discrimination in freight rates, was resumed in the Superior Court yesterday. The testimony was completed at the morning session and argument to the jury by counsel was begun in the afternoon. The case will probably be completed this noon with Judge Council's charge to the jury.

Yesterday morning Mr. J. A. Arringdale, of the Cape Fear Luumber Company, was recalled for the plaintiff and a large amount of documentary evidence, including the deposition of Capt. Nathan O'Berry, of the Whiteville Lumber Company, was submitted in the same behalf. For the railroad Mr. J. W. Perrin, assistant general freight agent, and Capt. C. McD. Davis, chief clerk in the traffic department of the A. C. L., testified. At 12 o'clock the jury was dismissed and some points of law involved in the suit were argued to Judge Council by the attorneys engaged on both sides.

At 2:30 o'clock, the argument to the jury was commenced, J. O. Carr, Esq., opening for the plaintiff in a particularly strong presentation of his side of the case. He was followed by Mr. Junius Davis, who spoke for more than an hour in a fine analysis of the law and facts submitted to the jury. The argument will be concluded to-day by Mr. George Rountree for the plaintiff and Thos. W. Davis, Esq., for the railroad.

The next case to be taken up will be that of Mrs. Louisa B. Smith vs. Mrs. Susan E. Moore, Executrix, involving the title to certain lands of the estate of the late Roger Moore.

The plaintiff having suffered a nonsuit at a previous term of the court, yesterday brought a new action in the case of Mary E. Irving vs. Pembroke Jones, L. A. Blue, Mrs. M. Cronly, Owen Fennell, S. W. Sanders, J. E. Gause, Mrs. F. G. Pritchard and about a dozen other residents on Summer Rest, the object being to dispossess the defendants of valuable property on the Sound. The plaintiff is represented by Messrs. Stevens, Beasley & Weeks, and Greer & Koonce, of Whiteville.

## "A PAIR OF PINKS."

**West & Vokes, Premier Comedians, at Academy Saturday.**

Of the appearance of West & Vokes in Norfolk last week, the Virginian-Pilot of that city says:

"At the Granby theatre last night West and Vokes opened with a big house in the laugh loosening musical comedy, 'A Pair of Pinks.' The theatre was crowded, and standing room was at a premium. Will West, Harry Vokes and Margaret Daly Vokes were all especially clever, and the supporting company was large and capable. There is plenty of music, numerous catchy songs. The company includes numerous well known people, including Harry Stewart, the well known Hebrew comedian, who for many years was a partner of Geo. Sidney. Mr. Stewart portrays the character of a Hebrew in the most legitimate manner, and his songs were loudly applauded during the evening. Annie Lloyd, a dainty little soubrette, looked pretty and sang sweetly. Eddie Judge, of the famous Judge family of acrobats, received his share of the applause. Joe Natus, the premier ballad singer, was in excellent voice, and his song, 'Two Little Girls Love One Little Boy,' was the prettiest thing heard in the theatre this season. Margaret Daly Vokes renders two character songs; one called 'Mary Wise,' and the other 'Helen Greene,' which caused loud laughter and applause. She made the stars look to their laurels last night.

"For many years Ward and Vokes have been known to the theatre goers, and were successful. The company has been changed by Will West taking the place of Ward. West is clever, and the tenm has not suffered any by the change. The company has been kept up to the excellent standard always maintained, and capacity houses is the answer."

## "THE BEAUTY DOCTOR."

**Monster Turkey and Stunt He Does With Comedian.**

In "The Beauty Doctor," Fred E. Wright's musical comedy, which in a new dress and with new musical features that are hits, new costumes and new faces will come to the Academy next Monday night. There is a big turkey which will pass safely through the critical holiday time, for this particular biped does a nightly "stunt" with the comedian which puts him far above the ordinary "gobbler," whose mission is but to cater to the holiday gourmandizing. The turkey has been a member of the organization since its beginning and while the other members of the company are sweltering in the cities during the summer season he takes his vacation in the country until the call goes up for the re-assembling of the company in the Fall. He knows his cue and repeats his act at every performance and has during this entire period never once struck for an advance in salary, nor kicked about the location of his dressing room.

A young man experienced in running Job Presses is wanted at the Star office. Good wages for good work.

## THE CONDEMNED MUTINEERS

**Intimated That Scott at Last Moment Will Confess and Exonerate Adams and Sawyer—Their Collapse.**

As the date for their execution approaches, interest is reviving in the case of Henry Scott, Arthur Adams and Robert Sawyer, the negro mutineers from the schooner Harry A. Berwind, condemned to die on Friday, January 26th, of the new year. The two last named, Adams and Sawyer, are said to have broken entirely down and are spending their nights in the county jail crying almost from darkness until dawn. They are closely confined in their cells and the extra precaution of keeping an officer with the three all night has been adopted by the Government, the duty being performed by Constable W. B. Savage.

Adams and Sawyer, both British subjects, profess the Catholic religion, and on yesterday mailed a letter to Rev. Father C. Dennen, of this city, to Rev. Father C. Dennen, of this city, requesting him to come to see them in jail.

The negro Scott remains stolid and is apparently little concerned about the future. He has intimated in a letter to a friend in Philadelphia that at the last moment he will make a clean breast of the whole affair and there is a strong suggestion that his last story of the affair will save the necks of his two fellow prisoners. However, Scott, on the one hand, and Adams and Sawyer, on the other, have nothing to do with each other, each maintaining that he is innocent. Developments in the case are expected early in the new year.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

**Transfers Which Appear From Deeds Filed For Record Yesterday.**

From deeds filed for record yesterday, the following real estate transfers appear:

S. R. Adams and wife, of Roanoke, Ala., to P. Q. Moore and wife, for $10 and other considerations, property on south side of Orange, 123 3-4 feet east of Eighth street, 41 1-4x110 feet in size.

Nora C. Gordon to P. Q. Moore and wife, for $1,200, property at northeast corner of Eigth and Orange streets, 33 x75 feet in size.

William Struthers, Jr., and wife to P. Q. Moore and wife, for $10 and other considerations, property on south side of Orange, 41 1-4 feet west of Ninth street, 41 1-4x110 feet in size.

D. H. Lippitt and wife to P. Q. Moore and wife, for $1,900, property on east side of right of way of the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad, on Wrightsville Beach.

Marsden Bellamy and wife to P. Q. Moore and wife, for $1,250, property on south side of Market street, 30 feet west of Eleventh street, 33x150 feet in size.

Herbert McClammy and wife to L. O. Smith, for $200, property on west side of Ninth, 120 feet north of Nixon street, 60x75 feet in size.

Lizzie Hanington and others to Annie Hanington, of Brunswick county, for $300 property at southeast corner of Front and Dawson streets, 66x 72 feet in size.

Mary A. Gore to Julius A. Murray, for $1 and other considerations, property 100 feet west of Third street, 50x66 feet in size.

Winter Park Gardens Company to Henry G. Fennell, for $10 and other considerations, property in Winter Park Gardens, at the southeast corner of Fifth street and Park avenue according to the official plan of the village.

## BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

**Annual Meeting in Raleigh Yesterday —Sale of Fertilizer Tags.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 6.—The State Board of Agriculture in annual session to-day received reports from Commissioner of Agriculture Patterson and State Chemist Gilgore and accepted an invitation to attend the inaugural ceremonies at Wake Forest Thursday for the induction of Prof. W. L. Poteat into the office of President of the college.

The report of Commissioner Patterson showed $96,525 sales of fertilizer tags for the year ending November 30th, a decrease of $2,000 from last year. He reported the cost of the agricultural building and other improvements at the A. & M. College the past year, $63,000, and $12,000 additional required for the equipment of the agricultural building.

A committee was appointed to invite Governor Glenn to meet with the board. The Governor signified his intention to attend tomorrow, when he will especially urge that provision be made for sending an exhibit illustrative of North Carolina resources through the Eastern States.

**Stole Horse For Ride.**

Mr. Samuel Blossom awoke yesterday morning at his home at Castle Haynes and went out to his stables to find his buggy horse stolen. He read in the morning papers of the killing of the negro in this city the night before and was reasonably certain that the fugitive had walked as far as his house and stolen the animal to get still further away on. Mr. Blossom came to Wilmington and was gratified to find his horse here. The animal had evidently been stolen for a ride to Wilmington and had been turned loose upon arrival here. He was found wandering about the streets and was impounded at Orrell & Alexander's stables until Mr. Blossom came.

**Negro's Escape Good.**

Charlie Ratley, the young negro who shot and killed Jim Wilson at Sixth and Brunswick streets night before last, has not been captured. There were several reports to the police yesterday as to the whereabouts of the fugitive but none of them could be relied upon. The inquest by the coroner yesterday developed nothing new.

## BAZAAR A SUCCESS

### Elaborate Affair Being Given By Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A.

### IN THE GYMNASIUM HALL

**Attendance Last Night Was Large and Various Features Were Much Enjoyed—Musical Programme Each Evening.**

More than a hundred of among the most prominent ladies in the city, all enthusiastic in their work, are bending every effort to make a magnificent success of the Y. M. C. A. Bazaar, which opened last night most auspiciously in the large gymnasium of the Association building, which has been transformed into a veritable beauty land for the occasion. The attendance upon the opening was highly satisfactory to the management and those who visited the scene of the gaities were delighted with the entertainment afforded them. The various booths, the decorations and all other features are well up to the high standard of former years and the remaining two evenings of the delightful occasion promise to be even more brilliant than the opening. Mrs. C. C. Covington, the general chairman, and the various sub-committees in charge of departments, have done exceedingly well with the arrangements and nothing short of a complete success can reward their painstaking efforts to please.

The bazaar is fashioned after "The Congress of Nations," so successfully given last year. Each of the eight or ten booths is made to represent a country or people and the decorations are with that idea in view, while the ladies in attendance upon each are in representative costume.

To the right as one enters the bazaar district, in the assembly room of the Y. M. C. A., is the refreshment booth where lunches and the more substantial edibles are served. In the gymnasium proper the booths are arranged around the room with due regard to symmetery, in the centre being a large booth where candies are sold. Near the east wall is the stand for the orchestra and a platform from which the musical numbers are rendered. Around the Switzerland booth in the southeast corner of the room is a yard, the foliage of the trees being made to represent the snow and ices of that country. The various booths and the ladies in charge are as follows:

Mexico—Mrs. R. D. Tucker, chairman; Mrs. John F. Garrell, Mrs. Jno. F. Garrell, Jr., Mrs. Darby, Mrs. Creech, Mrs. W. A. Sanders, Mrs. S. H. Fishblate, Miss Henry Walker, Miss Carrie King, Miss Newkirk.

United States—Mrs. W. T. Bannerman, chairman; Mrs. Geo. E. Leftwich, Mrs. R. G. Grady, Mrs. Wm. H. Sprunt, Mrs. W. M. Cumming, Mrs. Andrew Howell, Mrs. James E. Willson, Mrs. Cronly, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Weil, Miss Louise Read, Miss Keith Covington, Mrs. Florence Pearsall, Miss Carrie Stewart.

Switzerland—Mrs. Chas. T. Harper, chairman; Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Roger Moore, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. E. C. Clark, Mrs. Michaux, Mrs. J. J. Kelly, Mrs. Galloway, Miss Annie Ramsey, Mrs. Chas. Dushan, Mrs. Mary Brown, Miss Annie K. Harper, Miss Ida Black and Miss Montgomery.

Dolls—Mrs. Luther A. Blue, Mrs. E. C. Craft, Mrs. A. D. McClure, Mrs. S. K. DeVaney, Mrs E. Schulken, Mrs. L. B. Rogers, Mrs. Price, Mrs. E. H. Munson, Mrs. D C. Love, Miss Bettie Price; Miss Fentress, Mrs. W. B. Cooper, Mrs. Matt Taylor.

Turkey—Mrs. B. T. Hopkins, chairman; Mrs. E. L. Price, Mrs. Behrends, Mrs. R. H. Pickett, Mrs. J. H. Dreher, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. M. H. P. Clark, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Bridgers, Miss Steljes, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. John J. Fowler.

Japan—Mrs. C. D. Weeks, chairman; Mrs. Cline, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. T. H. Thompson, Mrs. James Darby, Miss Lydia Yates, Miss Struthers, Miss Dell Sutton, Miss Annie Adrain, Miss Noble, Miss Jackson, Mrs. B. O. Stone and Mrs. Phares.

Candy—Miss Hazel Love, chairman; Mrs. H. E. Bonitz, Mrs. Joe Mitchell, Mrs. H. M. Foard, Miss Chasten, Miss Nathan, Miss Eliza Belle, Howell, Miss Webster, Miss Yarborough, Miss Grace Turlington.

Refreshments—Mrs. C. C. Covington, chairman; Mrs. J. H. Thomas, Mrs. Mitt Moore, Mrs. W. W. Hodges, Mrs. B. F. Hall, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. G. A. Croft, Mrs. Toon, Mrs. H. G. Smallbones, Mrs. J. H. Rehder, Mrs. D. G. Worth, Mrs. C. W. Worth, Mrs. J. A. Springer and Mrs. J. R. Bruff.

During last evening Hollowbush's Academy Orchestra furnished excellent music which was supplemented by selections from favorite Wilmington singers. The Acme Male Quartette contributed a very pleasing number, which was followed by a piano solo by Miss Ila Rountree. A mixed quartette composed of Mrs. F. A. Muse, Mrs. J. D. Edwards, Mr. Charles Dushan and Mr. A. S. Holden rendered with charming effect "The Conquerors" and responded to an enthusiastic encore with "Sleep on My Lady Fair." A duet by Miss Rena Mills and Mrs. F. A. Muse, with accompaniment by Mrs. Chasten, was also greatly enjoyed.

The proceeds of the bazaar go towards refurnishing the Association reading room, a most worthy object, and all friends of the Y. M. C. A. are urged to encourage the work with their attendance the remaining two evenings of the bazaar. The doors will open at 8:30 o'clock and there will be a change of musical programme each night.

J. M. Harrison, a prosperous farmer near Bainbridge, Ga., was called to his gate yesterday about dusk and shot twice in the breast with a shot gun loaded with buckshot and killed instantly. The murder was not apprehended.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. A. Bethune, of Clinton, is at The Orton.

—Mr. L. P. Rooks, of Ivanhoe, was here yesterday.

—Mr. L. J. Sloan, of Wallace, was here yesterday.

—Dr. John P. Brown, of Ashpole, was here yesterday.

—H. L. Lyon, Esq., of Whiteville, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—S. A. Bird, of Mount Olive, and A. C. Davis, of Goldsboro, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Dr. Joseph Akerman has gone to Norfolk to attend the annual meeting of the Seaboard Medical Association.

—Messrs. Angus McKenzie Malcolm McKenzie and Frank A. Dingee, of New York, are guests at The Orton.

—Miss Lura Wheeler, who has been spending the Summer in the mountains with Mrs. W. H. Shaw, has returned home.

—Misses Zoe and Mildred Hall, of Camden, S. C., who have been visiting Misses Nellie and Grace Pickard, have returned home.

—Mrs. D. W. Bulluck has gone to Baltimore to be with her daughter, Miss Maude Bulluck, who is ill at Peabody Institute.

—Mr. J. H. Downman, the clever representative of Henry L. Hobart & Co., molasses importers and exporters of New York, has been in the city a few days calling on the trade.

—Fayetteville Observer of yesterday afternoon: "Sheriff F. H. Stedman, secretary and treasurer of the Cross Creek Building and Loan Association, came up on the noon train to-day."

—Mr. W. H. Shaw, who has been sick for some time at King's Mountain has returned to her home in this city. Her numerous friends will be gratified to learn that she is improving.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. George Huske has so far recovered from an illness of several months as to be able to resume his duties in the Engineering Department of the A. C. L. Railroad."

—Miss Bessie Fishblate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Fishblate, has entered the celebrated Pratt's Art Institute, of Brooklyn, N. Y. She will take a course in art and be at the institute for the Winter.

—William J. Bellamy, Esq., has returned from Concord, N. C., where he delivered the annual address at the Elks' Memorial Sunday. The Concord papers speak in the highest terms of Mr. Bellamy's address on the occasion mentioned.

—Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Dr. George Mallett, of New York, is expected to arrive to-night to be with his father, Col. Peter Mallett, who is a patient at St. Luke's Hospital. Mrs. Susan Holmes, his daughter, from Wilmington, is already here."

—Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. Schwarz, of Savannah, Ga., who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dock, in this city, left last night for New York where they will take passage on the New Hamburg American Liner Amerika for an extended trip abroad, spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. Schwarz's father at Bremen.

## BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION.

**W. N. Jones, of Raleigh, Elected President—Annual Sermon.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 6.—In the absence of Dr. Hale, of Wilmington, the opening sermon at the Baptist State Convention was preached to-night by Dr. J. M. Frost, of Nashville, his subject being "Baptism."

Nominations for president of the convention were W. N. Jones, of Raleigh; E. F. Aydlett, Elizabeth City; C. B. Aycock, Goldsboro; J. B. Carlyle, Wake Forest; T. M. Arrington, Rocky Mount; W. C. Dowd, Charlotte; W. R. Gwaltney, Hickory. Three ballots were necessary for a choice the result being the election of Mr. Jones with 146 votes and Mr. Aydlett second with 119. It was 11 o'clock when Mr. Jones was conducted to the chair and the convention took a recess until to-morrow.

## CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES, 1905-6

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Tickets for the public will be sold at one and one-third fares plus twenty-five cents for the round trip on December 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 30th and 31st, 1905, and January 1st, 1906, final return limit January 4th.

Tickets for Students and Teachers will be on sale from December 17th to 24th inclusive, with final return limit January 8th, 1906, upon presentation and surrender of certificate signed by Superintendents, Principals or Presidents of the various colleges. For further information, call on your nearest ticket agent or write

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| Water | 2.270 | Water | .620 |
| Volatile Matter | 8.830 | Volatile Matter | 10.520 |
| Fixed Carbon | 78.831 | Fixed | 82.029 |
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### MASONIC MEETING.

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R. C. MERRITT,
de7-1t Secretary.

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Thursday Morning, Dec. 7.

## ABOLISHMENT OF COTTON REPORTS.

At one time the cotton growers were in favor of the abolishment of the government statistics concerning the growing cotton crops and the probable yield of the crop. The Wall Street speculators were the next to favor discontinuance of the system, and now the Fall River manufacturers express themselves as greatly dissatisfied with the government's system of issuing cotton reports. A dispatch on Tuesday tells us that some of the Fall River manufacturers are asking that the manufacturers of New England take action toward the abolishment of the reports. A mill official, the dispatch says, made the following observation:

"The immediate effect of the report in this manufacturing center has been to reduce the wage margin six per cent., to stifle the demand for cloth and to upset the calculations of mill men who have been trying to buy cotton from Southern planters at some fixed price. Telegrams received from the South to-day show that planters are relying on the accuracy of the government report to such an extent that they will not offer their produet below the speculative figures fixed on the New York exchange, and in most instances they say that they do not care to accept orders at the top prices, for the present at least."

One more point of objection on the part of the manufacturers is to the publication of incomplete reports based upon estimates. The trouble with the manufacturers is that the violent fluctuations disturb the price lists of manufactured cottons and no calculations can be made from time to time for expenses in producing cotton goods. It is quite a serious problem to the manufacturers, to be sure, but isn't the system of cotton gambling more at fault than the cotton reports?

It is quite important for the manufacturers to keep up with the cotton crop, or else they would be groping in the dark and the same can be said as to the growers. The growers, through their Southern Cotton Association, have demonstrated their ability to get up accurate statistics of the crop, and they will keep it up. If the government were to abolish its statistics, individual Wall Street firms would probably get up statistics of their own, and doubtless the manufacturers would fall into line with a system of their own. Somebody will get up statistics and we doubt whether abolishment of the government's system would have any effect one way or other. There might be some improvement in the system and that is about all there is to it.

The principal trouble with the government reports are their infrequency, which, it is believed, cause violent fluctuations. It has been suggested that daily reports will obviate that trouble, and Representative Webb, of North Carolina, has introduced a bill in the House to provide for daily reports. The Washington correspondent of the Charlotte Observer on Tuesday sends out this:

"Representative Webb is greatly elated over the measure of success that promises to attend his efforts to secure the daily publication of reports of the amount of cotton ginned, instead of the bimonthly reports, which is satisfactory to no one, save the speculators. Mr. Webb has just held a most important conference with Mr. North, Director of the Census. When Mr. Webb presented to Mr. North the views entertained by Mr. D. A. Tompkins and others with reference to this matter, that gentleman replied that the plan of issuing daily reports would, in his opinion, remove every objection incident to the policy of making public the figures sent in by the field agents. Mr. North added that there was now at his command an amount sufficient to warrant him in publishing an every other day report, which would tend to stop the fluctuations of the market, and he was inclined, he said, to begin the publication of such reports at once.

"In the meanwhile Mr. Webb will urge the passage of a bill which will make available an amount that will enable the Census Department to issue daily reports. When the last ginners' report was issued cotton went up $5 a bale, and it is contended that such performances on the part of the speculators would be impossible under the plan of handling the reports favored by Mr. Webb. While Mr. Webb was at the Department, Director North called several of the department chiefs into the conference, and all agreed that Mr. Webb was working along the right lines. Moreover, it is believed in many quarters that if some such plan is not adopted the periodical reports will sooner or later be abolished."

Of course, accurate daily reports would settle the whole question but no doubt it would be a very expensive system.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

—Democratic members of the House of Representatives must feel mighty lonesome, but they are not so few as was the Republican minority a number of years ago, when a Democratic landslide left only eighty-nine of them above ground.—Columbia Record.

—The revenue officers of the old North State seized 56,735 gallons of the moonshine article during the last fiscal year. It is to be hoped that this will be sufficient to remove all grounds for the historic complaint of the Governor of South Carolina.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—A local company here in Charlotte wrote $100,000 worth of insurance last Saturday. How is that for patronizing home enterprise? We are proud of the record and congratulate both the company and the good people of our midst for the spirit exhibited. So long as this spirit prevails we are bound to advance even more rapidly than we have in the past.—Charlotte News.

—It seems that the two Greensboro Republican papers are finding the thorns in the journalistic pathway early in life. The Industrial News has been served with papers in four libel suits for $10,000 each brought by police officers whom it had criticised for alleged brutality in making an arrest, and a judgment for $190 has been recorded against The Weekly Tar Heel for alleged breach of contract.—Charlotte Observer.

—The receipts of the foot-ball game between Virginia and North Carolina, at Norfolk, Thanksgiving Day, were $11,800. Each team received $5,000, in addition to having all of its expenses paid from the time it left the college till it returned there. In view of the good job that North Carolina put up on this memorable occasion, that was hardly a fair division. It was worth something to give Virginia the licking that it did, and it should have had something in the way of a premium for having done it. However, we are not kicking. What is mere vulgar cash when weighed against glory?—Charlotte Cronicle.

## TWINKLINGS.

—Flatbush—"There's a great boom out at Wetlotts." Gothem—"So I hear." "Why, people are just crazy to buy out there!" "Yes, I should say they would be."—Yonkers Statesman.

—Briggs—"My rule has always been, choose your companions from your superiors." Griggs—"Yes; but what if your superiors happen to be following the same rule?"—Judge.

—Little brother (to sister who is sitting with her fiance)—"Do you know what I think?" Sister—"No, what is it?" "I think if I were not in the room Mr. Jones would kiss you." "You impudent boy leave the room instantly!"—Maggendorfer Blatter.

—A gentleman riding with an Irishman came within sight of an old gallows, and, to display has wit, said: "Pat, do you see that?" "To be sure Oi do," replied Pat. "And where would you be if the gallows had its due?" "O'ld be riding alone," replied Pat.—New York Times.

—"Why don't you try to make yourself solid with the masses?" "Well," said Senator Sorghum, "my constituents are peculiar. They like plenty of treating and speech-making. They don't care for solid candidates. They want 'em liquid or gaseous."—Washington Star.

—"You say congressmen are at a disadvantage in dealing with the railways?" asked the indignant citizens. "Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, "they are at a certain disadvantage." "For what reason?" "Well, you see, Congress can't issue passes that will get you anywhere."—Washington Star.


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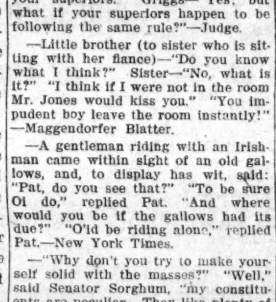

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## COMMERCIAL.

### WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Dec. 6, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market No sales.

ROSIN—Market firm. Sales after hours, $2.90.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.40 per barrel for hard, $3.90 for dip and $3.90 for Virginia.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $2.45 bid; tar, firm at $1.80; crude turpentine, firm at $2.30, and $3.60.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Spirits turpentine | 15 |
| Rosin | 30 |
| Tar | 94 |
| Crude | 80 |

Receipts same day last year—38 casks spirits turpentine, 511 barrels rosin, 164 barrels tar, 89 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—339 bales; same day last year, 920 bales.

### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, (new) Prime, 80c.; extra prime 85c.; fancy 90c., per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 60c.; fancy, 66c.; Spanish (new), 85@90c.

CORN—Firm; 70@75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15 to 16c. per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12; sides dull, 11 to 12.

EGGS—Firm, 24 to 25c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull, Springs, 15c. to 22c.; Grown, 25 to 30.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50c @55c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c., pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 20@22c.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c. per pound.

### THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Dec. 6.—Another set of new high records were made in the cotton market today, and trading was again very active with sales for the day falling just a little short of the million bale mark, according to estimates. The market closed about 5 to 6 points off from the top at a net advance of 6 to 9 points. The opening was steady at a decline of 9 points to an advance of 4 points, and immediately following the call, all months advanced sharply on a big general demand, covering by yesterday's sellers and fresh bull support. March soon advanced to 12.42 or 12 points net higher and other months gained in proportion in spite of the continued indifference of Liverpool and selling here against purchases in that market. At the advance realizing became very heavy and the market toward midday was somewhat unsettled by rumors that the report of the National Ginners' Association expected in the early afternoon would show about 8,500,000 bales ginned to December 1 when a total of some 8,250,000 bales had been expected. This caused considerable selling by scattering longs and the market eased off in the early afternoon to a net decline of about 5 to 6 points. At the decline Wall street bulls again came to the support of prices, the market in the afternoon sold up to practically the previous high level on reports of higher spot market and a good demand for spot supplies in the South. The close was steady in tone. High call money rates checked the Wall Street buying toward the close.

Spot closed quiet, 25 points advance; middling uplands, 12.60; middling gulf, 12.85; sales 2,179 bales.

Futures opened steady. December, 11.80; January, 11.92; February, 12.08 bid; March, 12.26; April, 12.33; May, 12.42; June, 12.46; July, 12.52; August, 12.25.

Futures closed steady. December, 11.95; January, 12.06; February, 12.20; March, 12.36; April, 12.42; May, 12.50; June, 12.53; July, 12.57.

High and Low: December, 12.01 to 11.80; January, 12.12 to 11.92; February, 12.21 to 12.21; March, 12.42 to 12.24; April, 12.45 to 12.33; May, 12.55 to 12.39; June, 12.46 to 12.46; July, 12.61 to 12.58; August, 12.30 to 12.25.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today were 43,644 bales against 48,374 last week and 61,977 last year. For the week (estimated) 290,000 bales, against 321,442 last week and 385,757 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 17,497 bales against 18,233 last year, and at Houston 9,093 bales bales against 12,713 last year.

**Port Movement.**

Galveston—Firm, 12c.; net receipts, 12,639 bales.

New Orleans—Firm, 12 1-16c.; net receipts, 17,499 bales.

Mobile—Quiet, 11 3-4c.; net receipts, 881 bales.

Savannah—Steady, 11 3-4c.; net receipts, 8,031 bales.

Charleston—Steady, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 337 bales.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 339 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 12c.; net receipts, 3,018 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 3-4c.

New York—Quiet, 12.60; Net receipts, 50 bales.

Boston—Dull, 12.35; net receipts, 408 bales.

Philadelphia—Firm, 12.85; net receipts, 2,408 bales.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 442 bales

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 43,644 bales; Exports: Great Britain, 18,029 bales; France, 163 bales; Continent, 22,462 bales; Stock, 1,311,530 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 204,603 bales; Exports: Great Britain, 99,597 bales; France, 8,770 bales; Continent, 47,110 bales; Japan, 1,248 bales; Mexico, 386 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 4,264,682 bales; Exports: Great Britain, 1,149,157 bales; France, 371,688 bales; Continent, 1,056,256 bales; Japan, 15,544; Mexico, 964 bales.

**Interior Movement.**

Houston—Steady, 12c.; net receipts, 9,093 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 12c.; net receipts, 1,052 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 12 1-8c.; net receipts, 4,785 bales.

St. Louis—Firm, 12 1-8c.; net receipts, 300 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,022 bales.

Louisville—Steady, 12 1-4c.

**Liverpool Cotton Market.**

Liverpool, Dec. 6.—Cotton.— Spot small business done; prices 7@9 points higher. American middling fair, 6.94d.; good middling, 6.60d.; middling, 6.42d.; low middling, 6.26d; good ordinary, 6.08.; ordinary, 5.92.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,400 American. Receipts 19,000 bales, including 12,700 American. Futures opened firm and closed easy. American middling G. O. C: December, 6.28d.; December and January, 6.28d; January and February, 6.33d.; February and March, 6.37d.; March and April, 6.42d.; April and March, 6.45d; May and June, 6.48d.; June and July, 6.50d.; July and August, 6.51d.; August and September, 6.44d.; September and October, 6.11d.; October and November, 6.02d.

### NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, Dec. 6.—Money on call strong and higher 10@25 per cent., closing bid 20; offered at 22. Time money strong; sixty days 7 per cent; ninety days and six months, 6. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2@5 3-4; Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers bills at 485.25@485.30 for demand and at 482.20@482.25 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 483@483 1-2 and 486 1-2@487. Commercial bills 482. Bar silver 64. Mexican dollars, 49 1-2.

**N. Y. Bonds.**

| | |
|---|---|
| U. S. refunding, 2s reg. | 102 3-4 |
| U. S. refunding 2s, cou | 103 1-4 |
| U. S. 3s reg. | 103 |
| U. S. 3s cou | 103 |
| U. S. old, 4s reg | 103 |
| U. S. old 4s cou | 104 |
| U. S. New 4s, reg | 132 1-2 |
| U. S. New 4s cou | 132 3-4 |
| American Tobacco, 4s cert | 81 1-8 |
| American Tobacco, 5s cert | 116 |
| Atlantic Coast Line, 4s | 101 3-4 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 102 3-4 |
| L. & N. Unified, 4 | 105 5-8 |
| Seaboard Air Line, bid | 89 |
| Southern Railway, 5s | 120 |
| U. S. Steel, 2d 5s ex-inst | 96 1-8 |

**Closing Stock List.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Amalgamated Copper | 90 7-8 |
| American Sugar Refining | 142 3-8 |
| American Tobacco, pfd., cert | 107 1-2 |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 160 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 112 1-4 |
| Baltimore & Ohio, pfd | 97 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 54 7-8 |
| Louisville & Nashville | 150 1-2 |
| Manhattan L. | 162 1-2 |
| New York Central | 151 1-4 |
| Norfolk & Western | 83 7-8 |
| Norfolk & Western, pfd | 92 |
| People's Gas | 103 7-8 |
| Reading | 134 3-4 |
| Reading, 1st pfd | 92 |
| Reading, 2d pfd | 94 |
| Southern Pacific | 67 3-8 |
| Southern Pacific, pfd | 120 |
| Southern Railway | 34 3-8 |
| Southern Railway, pfd | 99 1-2 |
| Tenn., Coal & Iron | 127 1-2 |
| U. S. Steel | 37 |
| U. S. Steel, pfd | 103 3-8 |
| Va.-Car. Chemical | 42 7-8 |
| Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd | 112 1-2 |
| S. A. L., com | —— |
| S. A. L., pfd | —— |
| Standard Oil | 668 |
| Western Union | 92 1-4 |

### CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Chicago, Dec. 6.—An advance of over 1 cent in the price of May wheat was caused to-day by the extensive buying of a leading bull. The market closed near the highest point of the day, final quotations on May being up 1@1 1-8c. Corn was up 1-8@1-4c. Oats showed a gain of 3-8c. Provisions were 2 1-2@5c. higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

| | Open | High | Low | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Wheat, No. 2.—** | | | | |
| Dec. | 86⅞ | 87¼ | 85⅞ | 87⅛ |
| May | 89⅛ | 90¼ | 88¾ | 90 |
| July | 84¾ | 85¼ | 84¼ | 85⅛ |
| **Corn, No. 2.—** | | | | |
| Dec. old | 45⅞ | 46¾ | 45⅞ | 46⅝ |
| Dec, new | 45⅜ | 45¾ | 45⅛ | 45¼ |
| May | 45¼ | 45⅝ | 45⅛ | 45¼ |
| July | 45¾ | 45½ | 45¼ | 45⅜ |
| **Oats, No. 2.—** | | | | |
| Dec. | 30½ | 31⅛ | 30½ | 31¼ |
| May | 32¾ | 33⅛ | 37¾ | 33⅛ |
| July | 31½ | 31⅞ | 31½ | 31⅞ |
| **Mess Pork, per bbl.—** | | | | |
| Jan. | 13.65 | 13.67½ | 13.50 | 13.67½ |
| May | 13.57½ | 13.62½ | 13.42½ | 13.60 |
| **Lard, per 100 lbs.—** | | | | |
| Dec. | 7.45 | 7.45 | 7.42½ | 7.42½ |
| Jan. | 7.17½ | 7.25 | 7.17½ | 7.22½ |
| May | 7.35 | 7.40 | 7.32½ | 7.40 |
| **Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—** | | | | |
| Jan. | 6.97½ | 7.05 | 6.97½ | 7.02½ |
| May | 7.17½ | 7.25 | 7.12½ | 7.22½ |

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 86@89; No. 3 spring wheat, 84@85; No. 2 red, 86 7-8@88 3-4; No. 2 corn, 48; No. 2 yellow, 48 1-2; No. 2 oats, 31 1-8c.; No. 2 white, 32 3-4@33; No. 2 white, 31@32 1-2; No. 2 rye, 68; Mess pork, per bbl., 13.25@13.37 1-2; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.42 1-2@7.45; Short ribs sides (loose), 7.00@7.12 1-2; Short clear sides (boxed), 7.12 1-2@7.25; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.30.

### NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, Decemeber 6.—Four market firm and nominally higher.

WHEAT—Spot firm; No. 2 red, 96 7-8; options closed firm at 1-2@7-8c net advance. May, 94 1-8; December, 96 3-8.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2, 60; options closed net unchanged to 11 1-4c net higher. January, 53 1-2; May, 51; December, 56 1-4.

OATS—Spot firm; mixed oats, 36 1-2.

LARD—Firm; western steamed, 7.55@7.75; refined steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Easy.

RICE—Quiet.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8 1-8; mild dull. Futures closed steady net unchanged to 5 points higher.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3; centrifugal 96 test, 3 9-16; molasses sugar, 2 3-4; refined firm.

BUTTER—Steady, unchanged.

CHEESE—Irregular, small and large colored and white; September fancy, 13 3-4; October large and small, best 12 3-4@13.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Easy; fancy handpicked, 4 1-2@4 3-4; other domestic, 2 3-4 @5.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 25c.

CABBAGES—Weak; Danish, $20.00 @$21.00 per ton; small domestic, $14 @$18.

POTATOES—Weak; Bermuda per barrel, 3.50@6.00; Maine, Vermont and Eastern per bag, 2.00@2.10; Long Island, 2.00@2.37; Sweets firm; Jersey, 1.50@2.00; Southern, 1.00@1.50.

COTTON SEED OIL—Easy, with prices a shade lower. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 23@23 1-2; prime Summer yellow, 29 1-4@29 3-4; prime white, 31 1-2@32; prime winter yellow, 31 1-2 @32.

### DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, December 8.—There were radical advances today in the dry goods market in many lines of staples. While this upward move had a tendency to retsrict business, a much more important cause was the inability of buyers to secure deliveries even at the top of what is generally admitted to be a very high market. Conditions were very disappointing to buyers who have not carried liberally.

### NAVAL STORES.

New York, Dec. 6.—Turpentine quiet at 64 3-4 to 65 1-4; rosin quiet.

Savannah, Dec. 6.—Turpentine quiet 62; sales 727; receipts 961; shipments 100.

Rosin firm; sales 3,714; receipts 2,616; shipments 805. Quote: A. B. C., 2.67 1-2; D., 2.70; E., 2.75; F., 2.82 1-2; G., 2.92 1-2; H., 3.00; I., 3.12 1-2; K., 3.87 1-2; M., 4.37 1-2; N., 4.75; W. G., 5.00; W. W., 5.25.

Charleston, Dec. 6.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.


### PALE FACES.

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"A bloodless face indicates anaemia or impoverished blood, pure and simple.

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"We wish your paper would tell every man, woman and child in Wilmington—yes, and every old person, that we are so sure that our famous cod liver oil preparation, Vinol (delicious to taste and without oil) will make rich, red blood, create strength and restore them to a normal condition, that we will pay for all the Vinol they take if it does not succeed.

"Why are we so sure? Simply because Vinol contains in a highly concentrated form all of the vital, medicinal principles of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cods' livers and without the useless systemclogging oil to upset the stomach and retard its work.

"Vinol in a natural manner will tone up the stomach, make rich, red blood and strengthen every organ in the body to do its work as nature intended. We do not ask the Wilmington people to take our word for it, but simply to try Vinol, on our guarantee." Robert R. Bellamy.

**Torture of a Preacher.**

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies, without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At R. R. Bellamy's, druggist; price 50c and $1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free. **

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### LIFE OF AIMLESSNESS WONDERFULLY CHANGED

**What Greensboro Keeley Institute Did For Man Who Was Self Acnowledged Wreck.**

The Keeley Institute, Greensboro, N. C.:

My estimate of the merits of your institution and my grateful appreciation of the ever courteous, considerate, kindly treatment received at the hands of manager, physician, and all connected, while I was a patient therein can be gathered from the following statement of facts: When on the 30th day of December, 1902, I sought your place as a refuge from the most voracious and damnable of demons, I was a worthless, aimless, hopeless being; I was not myself; I was not a man; my wife and children pitiable indeed; and want and penury lingered about my home to be driven away only by kindred and friends. I came back to them restored to normal condition, with the thirst and craving for strong drink absolutely gone, and day by day am regaining lost fortunes and the kindly regard and confidence of my fellow-men. Where there was wreck and ruin there is now a rehabilitated happy home, and wife and children and other loved ones now gladly gather about my hearthstone and join me in everlasting gratitude and thanksgiving for the wonderful redemption that through the Keeley Institute of Greensboro, N. C., has been wrought—the saving of me from a drunkard's life, a drunkard's grave, and a drunkard's hell.

A. H. WALSTON.

Speight's Bridge, N. C., Nov. 15, 1904.

Send names and addresses of those who may be benefitted to the Keeley Institute, Greensboro, N. C.,

## For Invalid Cookery

Delicious strengthening beef tea and other toothsome and nourishing dishes for invalids and convalescents may be quickly prepared with Armour's Extract of Beef.

Gives soups a rich, beefy flavor. Containing entire strength of beef it may be substituted for meat. It is already prepared and saves time and fuel in cooking.

Besides these points of economy, it is stimulating and helps to digest other foods. It will help to make many delicious dishes at a small cost.

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In buying accept no cheaper brands, but get the jar with Armour's Label. It's really the most economical. Sold by all druggists and grocers.

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**ARRIVED.**

Schooner Jno. S. Deering, 397 tons, Gamage, Carteret, C. D. Maffitt.

British steamer Regulus, 858 tons, Couch, St. Johns, N. F., Heide & Co.

**MARINE DIRECTORY.**

**List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.**

**Steamers.**

Armenia (Br., 1,515 tons, Mateson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ribera (Br), 2,252 tons, Hurford, Heide & Co.

Lango (Br.) 3,272 tons, Berlin, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Elswick Tower (Br.) 2,570 tons, Hall, Heide & Co.

Regulus (Br.), 858 tons, Couch, Heide & Co.

**Ships.**

Fitzjames (Br.), 1,831 tons. Fearson, Heide & Co.

**Schooners.**

Helvetia, 424 tons, Bernet, C. D. Maffitt.

Jno. S. Deering, 397 tons, Gamage, C. D. Maffitt.

F. & T. Lupton, 797 tons, ongstreet, C. D. Maffitt.

Helen M. Atwood, 653 tons, Watts, C. D. Maffitt.

Judge Boyce, 558 tons, Eskridge, C. D. Maffitt.

Bayard Hopkins, 212 tons, Thorkelsen, C. D. Maffitt.

**BY RIVER AND RAIL.**

**Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.**

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 6, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—107 bales cotton, 9 barrels tar, 19 barrels crude turpentine,

W. & W. Railroad—48 bales cotton, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—94 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 58 barrels tar, 29 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—90 bales cotton, 14 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—6 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Alice—8 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels rosin, 13 barrels tar.

Total—339 bales cotton, 15 casks spirits turpentine, 30 barrels rosin, 94 barrels tar, 80 barrels crude turpentine.


A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

**GET INSIDE.**

**Your Friends and Neighbors in Wilmington Will show You How.**

Rubbing the back won't cure backache.

A liniment may relieve, but can't cure.

Backache comes from the inside—from the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills get inside—They cure sick kidneys.

Here is Wilmington proof that this is so:

R. F. Rowan, clerk with L. W. Davis' Clothing House, residing on Castle street between Sixth and Seventh, says: "I strained myself lifting a heavy box, and suffered great pain across my back for a long time. I used plasters and liniments, but they did me no good. I could hardly stand up straight, my back was so weak. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised in our newspapers I went to Bellamy's drug store and got a box. I felt better the next day and continued using them according to directions and my back regained its old strength. I was simply surprsied at the result. I will gladly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills every time for backache."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**Furious Fighting.**

"For seven years," writes Geo. W. Hoffman, of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble,, but at last I won, and cured my diseases, by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommend them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold, under guarantee to do the same for you, by R. R. Bellamy, druggist, at 50c. a bottle. Try them to-day. **

**A Fearful Fate.**

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries, 25c at R. R. Bellamy's druggist. **


Warranty deeds for sale at the Star Office.


## STAR BUSINESS LOCALS!

**The Star will send, without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messengers to your place of business or residence for advertisements for our Business Locals department. 'Phone the Star Office, No. 51.**

**Rates—Twenty-five cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word. Positively, cash in advance.**

**The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.**

FOR RENT—PHOTOGRAPH GALlery, No. 114 Market street between Front and Second. Best location in the city. Possession given at once. Apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. de7-tf

FOR SALE — COMPLETE CRATE factory now in operation at this place. For further information communicate with owner, B. B. Anderson, Fair Bluff, N. C. de6-3t

FOR SALE—IN ORDER THAT I may devote my entire time to my real estate and excursion business, I offer for sale the Hotel Olivette, the only hotel in the best town in the State, brand-new building, twenty-five rooms, with water works, electric lights, call bells, in fact, a strictly modern structure. A good, live well-established business. I cater for transient people only, no boarders taken. No competition, terms easy, property will pay for itself in five years. For full particulars apply to C. B. Hatch, Mount Olive, N. C. de6-3t

KILN DRIED BLOCKS MAKE A quick hot fire. $1.00 per load, cash, delivered. Hilton Lumber Co., 'Phone 321. de6-3t

CHRISTMAS TREES, HOLLY &C., and evergreens for Christmas decorations, leave orders at People's Wood Yard, 115 North Water street. Order early. 'Phone 543. de5-1t*

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—THE two elegant "Lewis" houses, numbers 216 and 218 North Second street. Each lot 33 feet front by 165 feet deep. Modern houses, complete with plumbing, gas, cistern, etc. If you want a home, if you want an investment it will be to your interest to call at our office and look into the proposition that we can offer you. J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. de3-tf

FOR SALE—A FARM NEAR WILmington containing 123 acres, 40 acres cleared and in a high state of cultivation. Balance woodland. Good dwelling and other buildings. Will sell as a whole including stock and farming utensils and crop. Address D., care of Star, Wilmington, N. C. de3eod-3t*

HOT AND COLD DRINKS AT THE Dixie Cafe. Beef Tea, Clam and Tomato Bouillon. Hot Coffee. 117 Princess street. no24-tf

FRESH ARRIVALS—BANANAS, APples, Onions, Oranges, Cabbage, and Irish Potatoes. Two cars just arrived. A. S. Winstead. oc22-tf

CAPE FEAR COAL AND WOOD CO.— We are now in position to fill orders for all kinds of cut wood. With prompt delivery, polite service, and standard measurement, we solicit your patronage. 'Phone 197. no26-tf

PHONE NO. 609.—HANOVER IRON Works Co. Plumbers and Tinners. We have moved to No. 2 South Water Street. W. E. King, Manager, oc6-tf

WANTED—A BAD BARBER, SO WE can make him good. Guion & Davis. no11-tf

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR Apples, Oranges, Cocoa Nuts, Potatoes, Onions and Cabbage. In fact, anything in the produce line. Willow Run Butter and Grimes Cheese always on hand. Wm. E. Worth & Co. 'Phone 94. no19-tf

ONE HUNDRED CUSTOMERS WANTed for the Best Butter and Cheese money will buy. Try Sunbeam Corn and Peaches. Fresh Crackers and Cakes just received. New Buckwheat in packages and loose. New crop maple syrup. Give us your trial order. 'Phone 547; prompt delivery. S. F. Craig, 605 North Fourth street. oc26-tf

FOR SALE ON PRINCESS BEtween Twelfth and Thirteenth, 66x247 north side, $1,600; Seventh between Bladen and Harnett, 28x100, with house in good order, $800. Apply to M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. no25-tf

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DO YOU WISH TO RENT A HOUSE, or have you a house to let? If so, advertise in this column of the Star. jy28-tf

HAVE YOU LOST OR FOUND ANYthing? Do you want furnished or unfurnished rooms, or have you such rooms to let? If so, advertise in this column of the Star jy28-tf

GENTLEMEN!

If you Want a Hat, or a Suit of Clothes, or a Top Shirt, or Underwear, or Gloves, Go to HAMME, the Hatter and Clothier.

In fact go to him for your Clothing and Hats; Latest Styles and Lowest Prices.

24 North Front street.

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Why Not Books for CHRISTMAS?

*The fleeting joy of candy or flowers at Christmas cannot compare with the permanent pleasure of the gift of books for the Holidays*

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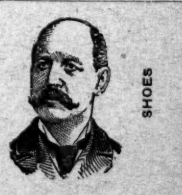


For Thanksgiving Hunter

SURVEYORS, LUMBERMEN AND OTHER MEN WHO TRAMP THROUGH WOODS AND BRUSH!

We have just received another lot of those High Cut $5.00 Shoes. Tan and Black. Besides a lot of the cheaper kinds——

FOOT-WEAR FOR EVERYBODY!

"NOT CHEAP SHOES, BUT GOOD SHOES CHEAP."

New lot of Douglas Shoes for men and boys. Also Florsheims. All kinds of Good Shoes for Ladies and children.

At the same old place, but looks like new.

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IF YOU ARE PARTICULAR ABOUT YOUR SMOKING— TRY A

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Money can't furnish a better Cigar. It's sold on its merits. Stands for quality. We prove all We claim by a trial at our expense.

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Washington Biscuits

At Warren's Steam Bakery, 5c. per Dozen, fresh every morning, comes out with the Washington Bread; try them; also Ice Cream for Thanksgiving.

WARREN'S STEAM BAKERY
R. F. WARREN, Prop.
Phone 246.

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Hello, 1013! Please.

The Cape

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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# I'm on the Portner now.

Because Portner's HOFBRAU Export Beer is brewed from the finest hops and malt that can be procured, is bottled EXCLUSIVELY at the brewery, and is sold ONLY in bottles. Blending the nutritive qualities of barley and the bitter tonic properties of hops, with a minimum of alcohol (3 1-2—4 per cent), it constitutes a fine tonic for the sick and a wholesome beverage for the well. The remarkable hop strength of HOFBRAU is of great medicinal value in its sedative effect upon nervous disorders. With meals, it aids digestion, and will produce refreshing sleep if used just before retiring. Try it!

Robert Portner Brewing Co.,
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## SPECIAL SALE ON BLANKETS.

Special Sale on Blankets.

Having a broken lot of these special numbers, we will close them out at cost, as long as they last.

10-4 All-Wool Scarlet Blankets, was $4.00, now ..... $3.25
10-4 White Blankets, sold for $3.00, now ..... $2.50
11-4 White Blankets, sold for $5.00, now ..... $3.75
11-4 White Blankets, sold for $4.00, now ..... $3.00
Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, worth $1.50 doz., to go at ..... $1.00
Children's All-Linen Handkerchiefs, per doz. ..... 60c

Agent for the C. B. and Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets. Every Pair Warranted.

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## Get Ready for Thanksgiving!

Turkeys, Cranberries Camenbert Cheese, Chickens, Fruits, Munster Cheese, Eggs, Candies Swiss Cheese.

This is the place to BUY at LOW PRICES.
We have without a doubt the CLEANEST GROCERY in the city.
Yours for Orders,

PEOPLES' SUPPLY CO.
206 North Front Street, Phone 420.
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## Special Notice!

Our new interest quarter will begin from Dec. 1st. Deposits made NOW will bear interest from that date.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.
(Opposite The Orton).
J. W. NORWOOD, Pres't. H. WALTERS, Vice-Pres't.
C. E. TAYLOR, JR., Cashier.
nov 7-tf.


## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—The Second and Third Regiments National Guard of North Carolina have now been equipped for field service, shelter tents having been sent to all the companies of both regiments.

—The State on Tuesday chartered the following corporations: The Henrietta Lumber Company, at Henrietta, Robeson county, capital $25,000; Jamestown Concrete Works, office at High Point, capital $125,000; Greater Charlotte Club, no capital stock; R. B. Preston and other stockholders.

—At Raleigh on Tuesday afternoon Chairman Thomas E. Womack, of the code commission, took Governor Glenn through the public printing establishment, where the Governor was given the first bound volume of the new code or revisal. Copies were given other State officers on Wednesday, and in a few days they will be in the hands of the judges and county clerks and a few copies will be on sale.

—Raleigh Correspondence, Charlotte Observer, Dec. 5th: At Fayetteville to-day Major Edward J. Hale, so widely known in North Carolina, was united in marriage to Miss Carolina Green Mallett. The bride is a daughter of the late Mr. Charles Beatty Mallett, who was long president of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railway. The family has been for 150 years one of the most notable of those in the Cape Fear section. Her great grandfather was Cole Peter Mallett, a Colonial rice planter in Brunswick county, who during the Revolutionary war was Major of the Second Regiment of the North Carolina—Troops of the Continental Line. She is a woman of unusual gifts and has made valuable contributions to the history of the Confederacy, and was president of the association which built the monument to the Confederate soldiers from Cumberland county.

—An important bill has been introduced by Congressman Chas. R. Thomas declaring all private freight car line and refrigerator cars to be common carriers and subject to all the provisions and penalties of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, and authorizing the Inter-State Commerce Commission to fix reasonable rates and charges with the transportation of freight by refrigerator cars. In the event of a failure to furnish the proper number of cars or facilities for transportation or to comply with the commission's orders as to reasonable rates, the private car lines are to be subject to penalties. Mr. Thomas has also introduced a resolution, which was referred to the ways and means committee, requesting the President to negotiate a treaty of reciprocity with Canada by means of which the Canadian duty of tariff may be removed from fruits and berries transported into Canada. Both these bills are in the interest of the truckers and fruit growers of eastern North Carolina. Also a bill granting the privilege to weekly newspapers, whether printed in the county or not, of free circulation in the mails. Also a bill to pay the war claims of the First Baptist church of Newbern, and others war claims.


Finest Quality N. C. Red Rust Proof Oats.
Full Cream Cheese.
Flour, Sugar, Meat.
Celebrated "Dunlop" Water Ground Meal.
Corn, Crackers, Oats, Candy, Hay, Cakes.
Canned Goods.
Choice and Varied Stock of Molasses.

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Have your prescriptions filled here where you may be sure that the Doctor's efforts will be helped along as far as good, fresh drugs will do it Making a change in a prescription because of a lack of ingredients to entirely unjustifiable and under no circumstances do we resort to such a practise.

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Springfield, Jones and Smithfield Hams, Olives Stuffed or Plain, Olives all in Bulk.
Asparagus and Mushrooms, Mackerel and Fish Roe.
Jams, Jellies and Preserves.
Dill Pickles, Sour Pickles and Sweet Pickles in Bulk.

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Quail on Toast
AT THE
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Board by the Week.
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Seasonable Goods.

In stock which we offer at rock bottom prices.
Eight Huundred Packets Rice, all grades, Raisins, Mixed Nuts, Cheese, Full Line of Groceries.
..Prices and samples furnished on application..

SAM'L BEAR SR., & SONS
18 and 20 Market Street,
Wilmington, N. C.
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## SALE OF LANDS,

FOR TAXES UNPAID FOR 1905.

I have levied upon and will sell at Public Auction, at the Court House door of New Hanover County on Monday, the first day of January, 1906, at 12 o'clock M., the following described Real Estate, to satisfy the Unpaid Taxes due the State of North Carolina and the County of New Hanover for the year, 1905, together with the cost and expenses due thereon, unless the amounts so due and unpaid are settled before sale. FRANK H. STEDMAN, Nov. 30, 1905. Sheriff.

### WILMINGTON TOWNSHIP.
White.

| Name. | Blk | Lot | Tax and Costs |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atlantic Shingle Cooperage and Veneer Co. | | | |
| do do | | 15 all | |
| do do | | 16 all | |
| Est N C A Ahrens | | 306 w 1-2 1 | 88.71 |
| do do | | 323 w 1 2 3 | |
| do do | | 346 all 1 2 pt 3 | |
| Bagg, Horace A. | | 183 w 2 | 39.62 |
| Barnett, Mrs M M | | 237 n e 1-4 2 | 16.11 |
| Bate, Mrs Susan F | | 162 e 1-2 3 | 4.46 |
| Beery, Temple C. | | 90 s e | 9.12 |
| Bell, Walter M. | | 52 e end 6 | 4.86 |
| Bender, C E. | | 92 e 4 5 6 | 5.64 |
| Biddle, hrs. Julia. | | 73 w pt 1 2 3 | 9.00 |
| Biggs, J O. | | 17 pt n w 4 | 6.83 |
| Boykin, Mrs J A. | | 159 e m 1 2 | 4.14 |
| Branch, C R. | | 489 e m 1 2 | 17.10 |
| J M Bunting, Agt for Phillips, G S, guard. | | 63 w 5 | 11.25 |
| Bunting, Louis M. | | 218 s e 1-4 4 | 4.86 |
| Burkhimer, Mrs L W | | do Jano | 20.29 |
| do do | | 25 w pt 1 2 | |
| Burris, A. J. Jr. | | 256 s w 1 | 13.35 |
| Best, R W | | 147 e m 1 | 6.44 |
| Burris, C L. | | 207 e 4 | 12.36 |
| Canaday, W A. | | 3 e end 1 pt 2 | 4.66 |
| Capps, Jno W. | | 63 ptm 4 6 6 | 7.54 |
| Carolina Copper Works | | 77 pt e m 1 2 | 21.05 |
| Chapman, L. | | 128 Bld & Mchy | 9.20 |
| do do | | 338 w m 2 | |
| do do | | 348 w 2 | |
| do do | | 350 e m 2 3 | 6.24 |
| Collins, H W | | 263 s w 1-4 2 | 18.68 |
| Corbett, W H. | | 71 e 6 | 7.62 |
| Corbett, Mrs Kate and others. | | 313 w m 3 4 5 | |
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| do do | | 331 e 1 2 3 4 5 | |
| do do | | 448 all 1 2 pt 3 4 5 | |
| do do | | 449 w 1 2 | 19.52 |
| Craig, W G | | 293 n w 1-4 2 | 7.23 |
| Culpepper Mary E | | 72 w m 1 2 | 5.15 |
| Carolina Central R R Co. | | 363 pt 3 4 5 | |
| Daniel, C H. | | 77 e pt 1 e m 1 2 | 2.49 |
| Davis, C R | | 121 n w 5 | 6.44 |
| DeRossett Mrs R. | | 115 e m 1 | 10.39 |
| DeVaney, Mrs H L. | | 103 pt m 1 | 18.68 |
| Dickinson, W P. | | 225 n e pt 2 | 15.13 |
| Dixon, H W. | | 307 m 4 5 | 8.41 |
| Dosher, W R & A L. | | 131 w 5 6 | 7.62 |
| Evans, Mary M. | | 104 n e 1-4 4 e 6 | |
| Eckel, W A. | | 196 e 6 | 8.88 |
| Everitt, hrs Ann. | | 218 n e 4 | 32.80 |
| Ellis, S R. | | 35 e end 1 2 | 4.07 |
| Eagle M'f'g Co. | | 267 e 3 4 | 9.20 |
| Fleet, Mrs S C. | | 104 w 1 | 40.80 |
| Floyd, E F. | | 50 w 1-4 6 | 15.52 |
| Flanner, A J. | | 178 w 3 | 7.23 |
| Gaskill, J W. | | 33 n e 1-4 3 | 100.05 |
| Glavin, hrs P. | | 206 e pt 1 | 2.88 |
| Greer, Gussie. | | 261 w pt 4 | |
| Guthrie, Mrs F. | | 198 w 2 | 15.72 |
| Grady, L V. | | 74 e 6 | 16.70 |
| Haar, G Henry. | | 204 s e 1-4 2 | 6.04 |
| Hill, Mrs. V C. | | 103 s e 1-4 2 | 21.84 |
| Hall, Jas M. | | 171 w m 1 | 12.38 |
| do Mrs Mary F | | 126 e 4 | 11.18 |
| do W D. | | 197 e 2 2 | 36.26 |
| Haney, W M. | | 18 m pt 4 5 6 | 7.22 |
| Harriss, Mrs M Mcl. | | 527 all | 6.04 |
| do do | | 529 all | 4.74 |
| do do | | 39 w 1-2 1 2 pt 3 | |
| do do | | 525 pt 5 | |
| do do | | 27 all 4 | |
| do do | | 14 all 3 | |
| Harriss, Wm M. | | 66 w 1-4 6 | 6.25 |
| Herring, Mrs M A | | 90 e 1-4 4 | 7.82 |
| Hewlett, J H. | | 117 e m 1 | 8.25 |
| do Martha S | | 117 w pt 1 | 8.81 |
| Holland, Jas M. | | 321 e 1 | 11.57 |
| Hurst, W M. | | 488 m 1 2 | 4.46 |
| Jacobs, hrs W N. | | 181 w m 5 | 9.20 |
| Johnson, E F. | | 172 w m 3 | 19.68 |
| do do | | 139 e m 1 2 m 3 | |
| Jones, Miss A V. | | 308 e 5 | 34.67 |
| do Mark A. | | 347 e end 4 5 | 10.78 |
| do Reco A. | | 77 w m 6 | 7.30 |
| do Sol. J. | | 123 w 1 2 | 2.48 |
| King, A S | | 31 w pt 5 6 | 17.30 |
| do B F | | 52 e m 5 6 | 6.00 |
| do B R | | 52 m pt 1 2 3 | 6.24 |
| do Rev. Jos P. | | 50 w 1 2 | 16.44 |
| do do | | 52 w 4 5 | |
| do do | | 52 n e pt 4 | |
| Kea, Dr J E. | | 207 e m 1 2 | 10.79 |
| Lane, hrs Mrs S E | | 131 e m 1 2 3 | 14.34 |
| Lawton, Miss F V | | 114 w m 1 2 | 6.04 |
| Lewis, J A. | | 264 e 1-2 4 | 17.10 |
| Lockamy, Mildred | | 139 w m 1 | 9.00 |
| Lathrop, E S. | | 194 e s 2 | 3.67 |
| Mason, E T. | | 74 e 1-2 5 s e 1-4 6 | 23.62 |
| Matthews, Jas R. | | 13 w pt 4 5 | 18.20 |
| do Jesse T. | | 3 pt 1-2 | 3.95 |
| Merritt, L W. | | 296 pt e 2 | 5.64 |
| Mills, Callie J. | | 81 w 1 2 | 2.80 |
| Mintz, Wm S. | | 26 all 2 | 6.44 |
| Moore, Jno Jas. | | 3 pt 1 2 | 4.34 |
| do Miss L B. | | 485 w 1 2 3 4 5 | 7.26 |
| do R B. | | 61 n w 1-4 5 | 16.31 |
| do do | | 20 e 1 2 | |
| Mayo, Mrs W E. | | 305 w 3 4 5 | 6.83 |
| Morris, W J. | | 144 w pt 5 6 | 19.47 |
| Morton, Mrs. M C | | 264 w 2 | 22.16 |
| Mote, Mrs J D. | | 293 pt w 6 | 22.83 |
| Morris hrs Francis | | 4 all pt 1 2 3 | 2.88 |
| do do | | 5 all 1 2 pt 3 4 | |
| do do | | 6 all 1 2 3 pt 4 5 | |
| do do | | 7 all 1 2 3 4 pt 5 6 | |
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| do do | | 10 all 3 4 5 6 | |
| do do | | pt 1 2 | |
| do do | | 11 all 4 5 6 pt 2 3 | |
| do do | | 12 all 5 6 pt 3 4 | |
| do do | | 13 all 5 6 pt 4 | |
| do do | | 14 all 6 pt 5 | |
| do do | | 17 pt 2 3 | |
| do do | | 18 pt 3 4 5 6 | |
| do do | | 19 pt 4 5 6 | |
| do do | | 20 pt 5 6 | |
| do do | | 530 pt 5 6 | |
| do do | | 531 pt 6 | |
| do do | | 546 all 1 pt 2 3 | |
| do do | | 547 all 1 2 pt 3 4 | |
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| do do | | 549 all 1 2 3 pt 4 5 | |
| do do | | 550 all 1 2 3 4 pt 5 6 | |
| do do | | 551 all 1 2 3 4 | |
| do do | | 545 all 1 pt 2 | |
| McCartney, J C & wife | | 544 do pt 1 | 29.01 |
| McCartney, Mrs M D. | | 117 n e 1-4 5 | 11.57 |
| McDougall, J H. | | 52 w pt 2 3 | 3.87 |
| McFarland, Mrs M E. | | 206 e m 1 2 | 12.36 |
| McKinnon, hrs Mrs D E. | | 218 w 2 | 28.95 |
| Nutt, J D. | | 235 w 1-2 2 | 38.24 |
| O'Sullivan, Jno P. | | 198 s e 7 | 24.80 |
| Penny, Mrs C G. | | 206 e 5 | 4.46 |
| do Henry W. | | 17 m 6 pt m 5 | 11.57 |
| do do | | 132 w m 1 2 | |
| do hrs W J. | | 446 w 2 4 5 | 6.24 |
| do do | | 105 pt 6 | |
| do do | | 146 w 1 | |
| do do | | 158 w pt 4 5 | |
| do do | | 307 w pt 2 3 | |
| do do | | 224 e 3 | |
| do do | | 188 w m 4 5 | |
| do do | | 161 w m 3 4 | |
| do do | | 308 w pt 5 | |
| Prease, James. | | 263 w 1 | 49.71 |
| Phillips, Lizzie. | | 326 e m | 10.39 |
| Ramsey, T C. | | 35 n w 1-4 4 | 2.48 |
| Reaves, W J. | | 87 e 1-2 4 5 s e 1-4 3 | 4.46 |
| do do | | 83 w 1-2 2 w 6 | |
| do do | | 52 3-4 n 1-2 5 | |
| do do | | 34 w pt 1 | |
| J O Reilly, agt | | 125 all 4 | 92.36 |
| Poisson, Mrs P E | | 128 w 1 | 26.97 |
| Register, W H. | | 117 s e 1-4 2 | 9.99 |
| Reville, D S. | | 54 pt e m 1 2 | 4.97 |
| Rowell, hrs Lucilla | | 146 e 3 | 4.27 |
| Saunders, H G. | | 78 m 1 2 3 | |
| do do | | 94 w pt 4 | 12.24 |
| Sellers, J F. | | 323 s w 1-4 2 | 14.34 |
| do J S | | 4 pt w end 5 | |
| do do | | 87 n w 1-4 5 | 13.95 |
| Sneed, Mrs Ida E | | 100 w 1-2 4 | 28.95 |
| Stokes, B C. | | 51 n e 1-4 3 | |
| do do | | 52 n e 1-4 5 | 5.26 |
| Schnibben, Mrs Kate E. | | 154 e end 5 | 1908 |
| Schonwald, Mrs Carrie A. | | 100 e m 1 2 | 23.03 |
| Simmons Mrs M F | | 166 w 4 | |
| do do | | 309 w end 4 | |
| do do | | 200 s e 4 | 36.87 |
| Sumlin, Wm D. | | 234 e m 1 | 16.91 |
| Swann, Vrans. | | 76 n e 1-4 2 | 6.04 |

| Name. | Blk | Lot | Tax and Costs |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sharp, W H, hrs. | | 62 pt w m | 6.62 |
| Smith, Mrs S W. | | 165 w m 1 2 | |
| do do | | 179 w 1 2 | |
| do do | | 192 e 1-2 2 | |
| do do | | 158 e 1 2 3 | |
| Tolar, T S | | 105 e 5 6 | 111.51 |
| Turrentine, Jno | | 220 w m 1 2 | 13.05 |
| Thorpe, R Jr & wife | | 208 s w 1-4 1 | 21.45 |
| Thorpe, W B trustee | | 158 w m 1 2 3 4 | 21.05 |
| VanAmringe, C S | | 80 all 4 5 e 3-4 6 | |
| do do | | 151 w m 1 2 3 | |
| VanDyke, Miss D | | 153 pt w 1-2 3 | 57.40 |
| Warren, E D | | 268 s w 4 | 2.88 |
| Whitlock, C M. | | 104 e 1 | 7.33 |
| Williams, H C. | | 138 w 2 3 | 55.93 |
| Wil. Sewerage Co | | 641 w m 1 | 1.46 |
| Wil. Tobacco Warehouse Co. | | 456 pt 5 6 pipes etc | 633.30 |
| do do | | 284 3-4 3 | |
| Williston, D. | | 286 all | 65.68 |
| Willson, W A. | | 23 s w 1-4 6 | 1.50 |
| Winstead, A S. | | 105 e m 1 | 8.41 |
| do Mrs E R | | 391 n e 2 | 9.40 |
| do do | | 184 e 3 4 5 | |
| Woodard, G E Ex | | 83 e m 3 | 9.79 |
| Wright, Jno M. | | 229 w 3 4 5 | 2.48 |
| Wright, Thos H | | 114 w m 6 | 34.58 |
| Agt for Bradley, Chas hrs. | | 165 w m 5 | 30.93 |
| Haar, Wm | | 197 w pt 5 | 24.61 |
| Wales, Mary C. | | 179 pt e 4 | 9.99 |
| Yopp, Mrs. E H. | | 104 w m 1 e m 1 | 20.73 |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Allen hrs Randall & Lizzie | | 536 m 1 | 4.07 |
| Alston, Dr J H. | | 223 m 1-4 3 | 8.49 |
| Anderson, H J | | 70 n e 1-4 4 | 4.26 |
| Artis, V T | | 358 w pt 2 | 2.09 |
| Austin, Julia | | 134 e m 2 | 2.48 |
| Baker, Nierva. | | 309 e m 1 | 2.09 |
| Barrett, Harriett. | | 367 e m 5 | |
| do do | | 309 e 1 | 5.85 |
| Bell, Calvin. | | 149 w m 3 | 4.46 |
| do Jano | | 134 e m 1 end 1 | 7.03 |
| " Swain | | 641 n w 6 | 4.06 |
| Bolden, hrs L. | | 228 w 4 | 3.27 |
| Blackwell, hrs Betsey | | 48 e 4 5 | 4.07 |
| Bowen, J P. | | 329 e 4 5 | 1.89 |
| Bowen, Martha. | | 281 e 4 5 | 8.41 |
| Bowens, Stephen. | | 198 w 3 | 4.46 |
| Boyd, Georgiana. | | 234 w m 1 | 4.0 |
| Burgiwne, Chas. | | 40 e m pt 1 | 4.66 |
| Burton, Minerva. | | 253 w pt 3 | 4.07 |
| Bradley, Jno A. | | 308 s w 1-4 2 | 4.70 |
| Brown, Jno H. | | 582 e 1-2 6 | 1.50 |
| do hrs M E. | | 132 e m 1 2 | 3.27 |
| Bryan, Rachel A | | 308 w m 1 | 2.66 |
| Bryant, David. | | 93 e m 1 2 | 3.10 |
| Byrd, hrs Edwd. | | 82 w 5 6 | 2.48 |
| do Kenan | | 252 n w 1-4 3 | 4.21 |
| do Richard | | 328 e 1 2 | 2.88 |
| Canady, May. | | 213 e end 1 2 | 2.48 |
| Crandall, Jerre. | | 149 n e 1-4 5 | 5.25 |
| Clinton, hrs Lucretia | | 304 pt 4 | 2.88 |
| Cochran, Josh | | 327 w pt 4 5 | 4.46 |
| Corbett, hrs N. Cowan | | 211 n e 1 | |
| Cowan, Hattie. | | 1 w m 4 5 | |
| do do | | 540 n e 1-4 5 | 4.50 |
| Davis, Charlotte L | | 266 pt e m 3 | 2.88 |
| Davis, Jos H. | | 350 w 2 3 | 2.88 |
| Davis, Nancy. | | 482 w pt 2 | 4.46 |
| Davis, Tony | | 640 s w 1-4 4 | 2.68 |
| Devane, Rev W M | | 228 e 3 4 5 | 4.54 |
| Dixon, Sophia. | | 68 w 4 | 2.29 |
| Dry, Wm. | | 540 n e 1-4 3 | 4.06 |
| Dove, hrs Owen. | | 223 e 1-2 4 | 7.81 |
| Durham, Jas. | | 146 e pt 6 | 4.86 |
| Edward, Thos & wife | | 296 e m 1 2 | 8.61 |
| do do | | 293 n e 4 | |
| Eskins Herbert, Henry Eskins, Lucas, Freeland, Geo. | | 44 e end 6 | 7.23 |
| Everett Josephine | | 309 e m 2 | 5.15 |
| Evans, hrs Julius | | 37 n w 1-4 5 | |
| do do | | 266 w end 5 | 2.49 |
| Evans, Martha J | | 68 s w 4 | 6.44 |
| Evans, Wm | | 583 n e 1-4 2 | 10.39 |
| Ferguson, hrs Sallie | | 536 s e pt 2 | 18.68 |
| Freeman, Jno T. | | 46 n w 5 | 15.13 |
| Freeman Virgil A | | 212 w 5 | 8.41 |
| Foster, Sam & Noble Milton. | | 284 e 5 | 7.62 |
| Galley, Jas M. | | 238 e pt | 8.41 |
| Gause, Edward. | | 254 e 1-2 5 | 5.25 |
| Gibbs, G W. | | 162 e m 4 5 | 8.88 |
| do do | | 541 n e 1-4 6 | 32.80 |
| Grimes, Lucy | | 55 w m 1 2 | 4.07 |
| Green, Jno | | 327 w 3 | 9.20 |
| Haggett, Grace. | | 267 e m 3 4 | 40.80 |
| Hall, Lilly G. | | 265 w pt 2 | 15.52 |
| Hall, hr Jos D. | | 224 n w 1-4 3 | 7.23 |
| Hall, Richard | | 241 w 1-2 3 5 | 100.05 |
| Hall, hrs R L. | | 27 s e 1-4 6 | 2.88 |
| do do | | 350 e m 3 4 5 | |
| Hall, Richard P. | | 187 m 4 5 | 15.72 |
| do do | | 479 w m 1 | 16.70 |
| do do | | 250 e pt 3 4 | 6.04 |
| Hall, Thos S. | | 518 w 4 5 | 21.84 |
| Hammond, Caroline | | 53 s e pt 2 | 12.38 |
| Harrington, hrs Louise | | 228 e 4 5 | 11.18 |
| Henderson hrs Hagan | | 31 w pt 1 | 36.26 |
| Hill, Allen | | 211 e 1-2 2 | 7.22 |
| Hill, hrs Edward | | 347 w 4 | 6.04 |
| Hill Louis | | 161 w 4 | 4.74 |
| Hill Wm J H. | | 3 n e 1-4 4 | 3.67 |
| Hill, hrs Virgil. | | 269 e m 5 | 2.48 |
| Holmes, Jno | | 97 n e 1-4 4 | 2.09 |
| Holmes, Sarah A | | 349 e pt 1 | 2.48 |
| Hooper, hrs G H | | 293 e m 1 | 3.67 |
| Hooper, Johnson. | | 267 e m 5 | 3.67 |
| Howard, A. | | 118 w m 1-4 4 | 6.04 |
| Howard, Benj W. | | 19 n w 1-4 4 s w 2 3 | 2.09 |
| Howard, Dan'l. | | 52 n e 1-4 3 | 2.29 |
| do do | | 268 s e 5 | |
| do do | | 209 w 1-2 3 | |
| do do | | 474 e 1 | |
| do do | | 565 pt 4 5 | |
| Howard, Jno H. | | 34 n e pt 1 | 18.29 |
| Howe Adrain | | 67 w 5 6 | 3.12 |
| Hunter, Rev S B | | 91 s e 1-4 4 | 6.44 |
| Jackson, Jas E. | | 209 e m 4 5 | 2.27 |
| Jacobs, Moses. | | 526 n e 1-4 2 | 7.23 |
| James, W H. | | 37 e pt | 2.09 |
| Jarman, J T | | 325 pt e end 4 | 4.66 |
| Jenkins, Jas C. | | 448 e m 2 | 2.48 |
| Jenkins, Benj. | | 304 w 1-2 3 w m 3 | 2.88 |
| Johnson, Alex. | | 58 w m | 2.48 |
| Johnson, Chas. | | 97 n w 1-4 4 | 6.44 |
| do do | | 984 4 5 | 3.47 |
| Johnson, Jas H. | | 239 s e 1-4 3 | 7.62 |
| Jones, Jno | | 34 ept 1 2 | 4.86 |
| Jones, Moses, Jr. | | 148 s e 6 6 1-2 | 1.70 |
| Jones, Pallis. | | 208 e m 3 | 2.09 |
| Jones Stephen. | | 136 e 5 | 3.67 |
| Jackson, Mary A. | | 254 e pt w end 5 | 4.07 |
| Lamb, Sam | | 281 s w 1-4 3 | 4.18 |
| Larkins, Sergeant & Mary | | 337 e m 3 | 4.86 |
| Lawrence, P W. | | 518 s e 1-4 5 | 1.46 |
| Lewis, B L. | | 36 s e 1-4 3 | 2.88 |
| Leggins, hrs H. | | 132 n e 2 | 3.27 |
| Livingston, hrs H | | 213 e m 1 2 | 1.89 |
| Lloyd, Mike | | 294 s w 2 | 2.87 |
| Loftin, I. | | 4.92 e m 1 2 | 2.29 |
| Loftin, Major | | 486 w 1 2 3 | 6.82 |
| Loftin, hrs W H | | 92 w m 1 2 3 | 7.62 |
| Lovick, hrs T H & wife | | 70 w pt 2 | 1.70 |
| Love, Alex. | | 239 n e 1-4 3 | 4.86 |
| Loftin, Green. | | 27 n e 1-4 2 | 4.06 |
| Mallett, Chas H. | | 237 e m 1 | 3.27 |
| Mallett, Frankie. | | 237 m 1 2 | 5.25 |
| Mallett, Wm P. | | 240 e 1 | 7.03 |
| Martin, C M | | 161 e end 2 3 | |
| do do | | 224 w 4 5 | 11.18 |
| Moore, Betsy | | 261 w 1-2 2 | 4.46 |
| Merrick, Sarah A | | 48 e 3 4 pt e | |
| do do | | 52 s w 1-4 2 | |
| do do | | 1-2 4 | |
| Middleton, L. A. | | 161 e m c | 4.66 |
| Millis, Jno R. | | 119 w 1-8 2 | 5.25 |
| Mitchell Maria. | | 137 s w 1-4 3 | 6.44 |
| Moore, Jackson P | | 161 w 4 5 | 6.44 |
| Moore, Robt | | 239 n w 1-4 2 | 7.18 |
| Moore, Sarah J. | | 241 s w 1-4 4 | 4.86 |
| Moore, hrs Thos T | | 269 s w 5 | 4.67 |
| Morgan, hrs A. | | 187 e m 4 5 | 4.07 |
| Moseley, Jno F. | | 230 s e 1-4 2 | 3.08 |
| McBride, hrs Wm | | 187 w m 1 2 3 | 5.48 |
| McFarlan, Joseph do do | | 66 e 1-4 3 | |
| do do | | 22 e 1-2 5 6 | |
| McFarlan, Simon. | | 27 n e 1-4 2 | 7.51 |
| McFarlan, Morris | | 336 e m 4 5 | 2.48 |
| McGee, Henry. | | 327 e 1 | 4.66 |
| McKoy Melvina. | | 223 s w 1-4 3 | 10.39 |
| McMillan, Jas grd | | 149 w 1 2 | 2.09 |
| McNeill, Jno | | 327 e m 1 2 | 4.46 |
| McRae, Jno C. | | 200 s w 1-4 4 | 3.48 |
| Nelson, Stephen. | | 52 e 5 | 3.46 |
| Newkirk, Thos. | | 262 e m 3 4 5 | 6.67 |
| Nixon, Joseph | | 252 e m 3 | 2.48 |
| Nixon, Nick | | 151 m 3 4 | 2.09 |
| Nixon, hrs Pinny | | 23 s w 1-4 3 | 1.50 |
| do do | | 479 w 2 3 | |
| Nixon, Edward. | | 56 w 1-2 2 | 2.49 |
| Onslow, Rex J & wife | | 36 n e 4 pt 3 | 5.65 |
| Parker, Benj J. | | 213 e 3 4 | 6.44 |
| Patterson, Ed. | | 55 w 1 | 4.66 |
| Phillips, Jno H. | | 540 s e 1-4 3 | 4.66 |
| Reilly Jas O—agt for Clark, Hattie | | 106 s w pt 1 2 | 6.62 |
| Broadhurst, Ed. est | | 45 m 2 | 1.50 |
| Reed Anna | | 106 n w 1-4 5 | 7.23 |
| do do | | 148 e 1-2 6 1-2 | 7.81 |
| Reese, hrs Sam. | | 132 e end 5 6 | 2.88 |
| Richardson, Margaret E | | 148 e 4 5 | 6.04 |
| Repley, hrs Wm. | | 326 w 1 2 | 3.27 |
| Rivers, Thos Jr. | | 81 e end 6 | 7.03 |
| Robinson, hrs Agnes J. | | 224 s e 1-4 3 | |
| do do | | 29 pt 5 | 3.87 |
| Robinson, W. H. | | 81 e end 1 2 | 4.46 |
| Robert, Gilbert. | | 27 s e 1-4 5 | 3.87 |
| Sampson, Alex. | | 118 w m 6 | 4.07 |
| Sanders, Hampton | | 81 w m 1 2 | 2.27 |
| Sloan, Joshua M. | | 55 e 4 5 | 8.41 |
| Stanford, Geo. | | 309 w e 2 | 4.86 |
| Stanley, Chas | | 541 s w 1-2 2 | 4.46 |
| Stanley, Wright. | | 27 s w 1-4 2 | 3.87 |
| Swann, Lucy | | 33 e m 1 2 | 4.46 |
| Shepard, Jos | | 3.39 w 4 | 1.89 |
| Sheridan, W B | | 27 n e 1-4 3 | 3.87 |
| Simmons, Alice. | | 80 e m 1 | 6.86 |
| Simmons, Jos E. | | 193 e m 2 pt 2 | 1.70 |
| Simmons, Josephine | | 540 n w 1-4 4 | 4.86 |
| Simmons, hrs R. | | 27 s w 1-4 6 34 n e 1-4 3 pt 2 | 1.50 |
| Smith, Amy C. | | 196 w 1-2 2 | 4.27 |
| Smith, hrs Lucy | | 326 s e m 4 | 16.31 |
| Smith, hrs Maria. | | 278 w 5 | 2.48 |
| Smith, hrs Susan | | 242 s w 5 | 2.48 |
| Smith, Wm H. | | 53 s e 1-8 5 | 2.09 |
| Spicer, Isaac. | | 40 n w 1-4 2 | 2.48 |
| Sullivan, Abbie. | | 294 w 1 | 4.86 |
| Scurlock, Mary J. | | 80 s w 1-4 2 | 3.46 |
| Taylor, Edwd R. | | 65 s w 1-4 3 n w 1-4 4 | 3.67 |
| Torrence, Amelia | | 336 e m 4 5 | 6.91 |
| Townsend, Alice. | | 349 s e 1-8 4 | 2.09 |
| Thompson, Jacob. | | 339 w 1 | 2.88 |
| Thurber, hrs W H | | 61 e 5 | 3.27 |
| Turner, Jas H. | | 134 e 5 6 | 6.44 |

| Name. | Blk | Lot | Tax and Costs |
|---|---|---|---|
| Turner, Mary E. | | 254 w 1-2 1 | 9.20 |
| Waddell, hrs Lucy A. | | 255 s e 5 | 3.67 |
| Wallace, wm | | 360 e pt 5 | 5.46 |
| Walker, A J. | | 323 e pt 3 4 | 13.35 |
| Walker, Chas E. | | 31 e 1-2 5 | 4.46 |
| Walker, Margaret Ann | | 237 w pt 4 5 | 2.88 |
| Walker, Sarah | | 348 w 1 2 | 2.88 |
| Walker, Sarah | | 240 e end & e m 1 | 3.48 |
| Walker, Sam'l | | 253 s w 1-4 3 | 5.65 |
| Ward, Wm J. | | 46 e m 5 6 | 2.29 |
| Washington, C. | | 255 n w 1-4 5 | 3.87 |
| Washington, S. | | 1.48 n 2 | 2.48 |
| Watson Wesley. | | 27 s w 1-4 4 | 1.50 |
| Willis, Godfrey | | 60 w end 6 | 7.62 |
| Williston, Henrietta | | 23 s w 1-4 2 | 2.88 |
| do do | | 50 w 1-2 3 | 2.88 |
| Williams, Amelia. | | 541 pt 4 | 1.46 |
| Williams, Elisha. | | 451 e pt 5 

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## TO DIE IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

**Lawyer Patrick Pleaded For His Own Life But Sentenced to be Electrocuted January 22.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Dec. 6.—After making a final personal plea to the court in his own behalf, Albert T. Patrick, the lawyer, convicted of the murder of William Marsh Rice, tonight was sentenced to die in the electric chair in the week beginning January 22 next. Sentence was pronounced by Justice Rogers in the criminal branch of the State Supreme Court. Notice was given that an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States on a writ of error will be taken. The application for the writ, it is said, will act as a stay of execution. Patrick was taken back to Sing Sing tonight.

The passage of sentence upon the lawyer, whose case has been one of the most noted in criminal annals, followed a series of arguments by his counsel, who at first contended that the Supreme Court did not have jurisdiction to set a new date for the execution and later asked that sentence be deferred at least until the appeal to the higher court could be perfected. District Attorney Wm. Travers Jerome opposed all the contentions of the defendant's counsel and moved for immediate action.

As the case neared a close, Patrick grew restless while listening to the arguments both for and against him, and arose unexpectedly in his place and pleaded to be heard. His action caused a stir in the crowded court room, and the lawyers in the case held a hurried consultation. Patrick stood pale and anxious, awaiting the court's permission to proceed. This permission finally was granted and Patrick spoke for nearly fifteen minutes. His voice at first was a bit husky, but grew clear as he proceeded, and judge, attorneys, and all in the court listened attentively, apparently impressed by the unusual situation.

Earlier in the afternoon Patrick had been called before Justice Stover, in the Supreme Court, but after hearing the record the judge ordered that the proceedings be transferred to the criminal branch. Patrick, accompanied by the guards from Sing Sing, and his attorneys, walked to the criminal court, apparently enjoying the exercise. Under his arms were a number of law books and legal papers. A crowd of several hundred persons followed.

When Patrick had been allowed to proceed in his own behalf, he urged that there was no direct evidence that Rice had been killed and reiterated his claim that he had been convicted on manufactured evidence. Justice Rogers then ordered Patrick to stand up and sentence was pronounced.

## ESCH-TOWNSEND RATE BILL.

**Redrawn and Introduced In Congress —Meets President's Plan.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Dec. 6.—The Esch-Townsend railroad rate bill which passed the House at its last session, has been redrawn and was re-introduced in the House today by Mr. Townsend. The bill embraces all of the features of the former measure but is drawn so as to specify the particular things which may be done by the Inter-State Commerce Commission. In addition it has a publicity feature and gives the commission jurisdiction over refrigeration and terminal charges. It also directly prohibits the carrier from granting any shipper the privilege of collecting his product and then getting a special rate under the short term provision for changing rates.

As explained today by Mr. Townsend, the bill "expresses the ideas of the President in his message, and, will, if enacted into law amend the inter-state commerce law so as to make it more effectual in securing exact justice betwen the carriers, shippers, producers and consumers.

"The President in his message calls particular attention to three matters which should be incluuded in any measure to amend the inter-state commerce law:

" 1st.—To provide against so-called midnight rates.

"2nd.—To empower the commission with authority to fix, upon complaint and full hearing, a reasonable maximum rate in place of one found by the commission to be unreasonable and have it go into early affect.

"3rd.—To compel the widest Publicity of railroad book-keeping and methods.

"This the new Esch-Townsend bill fully accomplishes."

## LAWYER GUILTY OF BLACKMAIL.

**Was "Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde" of New York Bar.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Dec. 6.—Thomas P. Wickes, a prominent attorney and former assistant corporation counsel, today was found guilty of blackmail in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court. He was remanded for sentence next week.

The case of Wickes is one of the most peculiar in the criminal annals of the city, and the man himself has come to be known as the "Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde" of the legal profession. While occupying a prominent place among his fellows in the legal profession and enjoying a high reputation, it has been learned that under the name of "Lewis Jarvis, "which he assumed for the purpose, Wickes wrote hundreds of letters to persons who were interested in cases with which he was connected.

To Dr. Edward Watson, of Newark, N. J., several of these "Lewis Jarvis" letters were written advising Dr. Weston to settle a certain litigation against himself by paying several thousands dollars. Wickes was arrested when he went to the postoffice for letters addressed to Lewis Jarvis.

Millions rush in mad chase after health, from one extreme of faddism to another, when if they would only eat good food, and keep their bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills, their troubles would all pass away. Prompt relief and quick cure for liver and stomach trouble. 25c a tR. R. Bellamy's drug store; guaranteed. **

## PANAMA CANAL WAS DISCUSSED

**Many Members of Lower Branch of Congress Had Something to Say Yesterday.**

**LOOSE HANDLING OF FUNDS**

**Canal Press Agent on Salary of $10,000—Senator Simmons' Bill to Investigate Departments—Rate and Ship Subsidy Bills.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Dec. 6.—With an opportunity for unlimited debate on the subject of the Panama canal, the House exhausted its oratory on that subject in a session of four and three-quarter hours to-day. The bill appropriating $16,500,000 for canal work, which was the subject of discussion, will be read for amendment and placed on its final passage to-morrow. The feature of the debate was the criticism indulged in by both Republicans and Democrats, regarding the incompleteness of the statement of expenditures and estimates furnished by the canal commission. Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, reviewed the canal work, stating that $10,000,000 had been expended and that particular attention had been paid to housing employes on the isthmus, and in rehabilitating the machinery the French company had left there. There was a pay roll on the isthmus containing the names of more than 13,000 persons. They were paid twice a month and there would be no funds to meet the payment due December 15th, unless the bill should pass. Replying to a question by Mr. Littlefield, of Maine, as to the amount which had been expended for salaries, Mr. Hepburn said he could make the general statement that there were 26 salaries over $5,000; six between $4,000 and $5,000; fifty-five between $3,000 and $4,000, and 136 between $2,000 and $3,000. These included engineers and persons of high skill.

It was stated in reply to C. B. Landis that the value of the Panama railway stock had been estimated at $7,000,000, but Mr. Hepburn could not recall the estimated value placed on the machinery and equipment before it was purchased by the United States. "But it was asserted, was it not," continued Mr. Landis, "that this machinery was valuable and the equipment was such as could be utilized?"

"It was," replied Mr. Hepburn.

Mr. Fitzgerald, of New York, said he had been informed that $10,000 a year was being paid to a "press agent" in this city. Mr. Hepburn said he knew nothing of such an employe.

"But does the gentleman think this is a necessary appropriation?" asked Mr. Fitzgerald.

"I do not think it would equal in usefulness an Irishman who could well wield a shovel," said Mr. Hepburn.

"But that is hardly a good defense of a $10,000 appropriation under any department of this government," retorted Mr. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Hepburn said he had not heard of the latter before. He did not believe it a proper appropriation of the canal fund.

Mr. Williams suggested that an estimate be secured from the commission as to the amount necessary to carry on the work on the isthmus until January.

Mr. Tawney, of Minnesota, suggested that the instruction to the canal commission be for a "detailed and classified" or "itemized" statement of expenditures.

The floor was yielded to Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, who gave notice of certain amendments he should offer to the bill later. He declared that the canal is a non-partisan question. Its benefits to the South would be great. No individual could claim credit for the canal. The principal amendment he should offer would be to strike out the sum of $16,500,000 in the bill and insert an amount be should endeavor to ascertain as the amount actually necessary to carry on the work until January 1st, next.

Asserting that there were at least $40,000,000 belonging to the United States now on deposit without interest in National banks, Mr. Williams said he would object to the issuance of bonds on which 2 per cent. interest should be paid to secure money to build the canal. Failing in striking out the entire bonding provision, he should move to strike out the provision reimbursing the treasury the amount appropriated in the bill from the proceeds of the bond sale. He called attention to the original act authorizing bonds for the canal, and said it was plain there was nothing mandatory about it. He maintained that the position he took was not a movement against Nationnal banks.

At the suggestion of Mr. Fitzgerald, of New York, Mr. Williams said he should also offer an amendment requiring itemized statements of expenditures from the canal commission.

Mr. Mann, of Illinois, stated that there were two employes of the canal commission who received salaries of $10,000 a year. One is Mr. Ross, purchasing agent, and the other Mr. Bishop, secretary to the commission.

Replying to Mr. Clayton, of Alabama, who asked if any of the money asked for would be spent for actual work of excavation, Mr. Mann said that the pay roll itself would cover the work of excavation, which he said, had never ceased since the property was acquired from the French company.

Mr. Mann, continuing his reply to question by Mr. Clayton, said there was no doubt this appropriation should have been carried in the last sundry civil appropriation bill, but that the old canal commission had said they would not need the foney. "That commission was done away with and a new commission appointed," he continued, "and since that time the work on the canal has progressed much more rapidly and what we are meeting now is a condition and not a theory.

Messrs. Clayton, of Alabama, Olmsted, of Pennsylvania, and others protested against the lack of detail in the statement of expenditures, and Mr. Hepburn admitted that it might have been better if the estimates had been more in detail. Mr. Hepburn saw no good reason, however, why the appropriation should not be made. He said if the estimates had been in detail it would hardly be the function of members to set up their unprofessional judgment against that of expert engineers.

Bourke Cockran took decided exception to this attitude on the part of Mr. Hepburn, applied it as affecting all matters of appropriation and arraigned it as decidedly the wrong attitude of legislators. To enforce his argument he read the sentiment of the President in his message for economy and scrutiny of appropriations.

Mr. Clayton, of Alabama, expressed himself as desirous of having further information regarding the "press agent" of the commission.

The House adjourned with the understanding that the bill will be read for amendment and put on its passage tomorrow.

**The Senate.**

The Senate began business in earnest to-day. The session was of only little more than two hours duration but in that time several hundred bills and resolutions were introduced and referred to committees.

Senator Simmons introduced a bill providing for a permanent commission to investigate the executive departments.

Senator Overman presented a bill providing for a commission whose duty it shall be to enlarge the foreign market for American cotton.

Senator Tillman introduced two resolutions which are intended to bring out the fact as to whether any of the national banks of the country have made campaign contributions in recent years. The first of the resolutions directs the Secretary of the Treasury to report to the Senate whether any of the report of examiners of national banks since 1893 have been destroyed and whether such reports as are on file show that contributions have been made by the banks to campaign committees. The other resolution directs the Senate committee on privileges and elections to inquire into the same subject. Senator Tillman asked for present consideration of the first resolution but under objection from Senators Gallinger and Lodge it went over until tomorrow. The other resolution was referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

Senator Latimer today re-introduced his good roads bill; Senator Foraker presented his railroad rate regulation bill; Senator Gallinger his merchant marine subsidy bill; Senator Lodge a bill providing for a maximum and minimum tariff rate schedule in the interest of reciprocity, and Senator Culberson a bill making it a penal offense to use the money of insurance companies in politics.

The nearest approach to a controversy arose over a resolution presented by Mr. Newlands directing the Inter-State Commerce Commission to draw a national corporation act for railroads. Senator Spooner criticised the proceeding as unworthy of the Senate.

The Senate adopted without debate a resolution directing the committee on the judiciary to inquire into and report to the Senate whether under the consttitution Congress has authority to supervise marine, fire and life insurance.

The Senate adjourned until tomorrow.

## SENSATIONAL IF NO CANARD.

**North Pole Reached By One of Nansen's Explorers.**

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 6.—Major Glassford, in charge of the government cable office here, received a message yesterday addressed to Nansen, the Norwgian explorer, at Christiana from Captain Ronald Amundsen, of the ship Gjoa, at Fort Egbert, Eagle City, Alaska, telling of a trip by a dog team from Hershel Island to Eagle City. While the message is incomplete in detail, it purports to be from a member of an exploring party sent out by Nansen, and states that the party is safe with the ship Gjoa wintering at King Point. Captain Amundsen, who set out in a small craft with a crew of but eight men, found the North Magnetic Pole, whose discovery is originally accredited to Ross in 1831, although scentists doubt that Ross really located this elusive guide to the compasses of the world. Having gone from Greenland to a point in the vicinity of Herchel island it would seem as though Amundsen has at last found the northwest passage for which Arctic explorers have been searching for years.

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## FLOOD OF IMMIGRANTS ARRIVING IN AMERICA

**Over Million Last Year But South Received Only 46,343—North Carolina Got 183.**

By Wire to The Morning Star

New York, Dec. 6.—The statement that over a million immigrants have come to the United States during the past year, and that the South and the West, the sections of the country which needed and wished for these new citizens did not get them, was made by Frank P. Sargent, United States commissioner general of immigration, in a speech today before the National Civic Federation meeting. Mr. Sargent proposed that the United States hereafter take steps to distribute immigrants according to the needs of the country.

"I have just received figures," he said, "showing where this immigration goes to. Of the 1,023,491 immigrants who arrived last year, six States of the Union received 777,748 or 76 per cent. of the people. The beautiful and prosperous South entering upon a season of great commercial activity, received 46,343, divided as follows: Maryland, West Virginia and Virginia, 9,000 each; Louisiana, 5,000; Texas, 4,000; Kentucky, offereing splendid inducements for immigration, got 618; Tennessee, wide awake and progressive, opening up great opportunities in the iron business, received 782; North Carolina, blossoming out splendidly, got 183; South Carolina 328; Georgia, 518; Arkansas, 432; Indian Territory, 438, and Oklahoma, 265. That great open section of the country which offers the best possible opportunities to the peasantry of Europe to start and grow up independent, is hardly noticed in the aggregate of immigrants."

Mr. Sargent recommended that instead of having the majority of foreign immigrants received at the port of New York as at present efforts should be made to have them enter at other seaports.

## COTTON GROWERS AND MILL MEN

**Manufacturers' Association to Consider Plans to Fix Price of Cotton**

**MR. BROWN'S PROPOSITION**

**Officials of Spinners Believe it is Feasible and Call Meeting to Look Into It—Other Important Matters.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C., December 6.—At the instance of President R. M. Miller, Jr., Secretary C. B. Bryant, of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association, tonight called a meeting of the board of governors to be held in Charlotte on the 9th instant, when the proposition submitted by J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, representing the Southern Cotton Association, will be considered. It is stated that the proposition submitted by Mr. Brown, which was a plan to get together to regulate the price of cotton, was seemingly feasible and President Miller agreed to call together the board of governors of the association so that the plan might be submitted to them as well. Mr. Brown will be invited to be present, and the meeting is expected to be an interesting one.

In addition to the above, other matters, such are of moment to manufacturers, will be considered. The immigration question will be talked of and also Senator Lee S. Overman's bill providing for a commission to see to the expanison of the foreign markets for American export trade.

The annual convention of the New England Cotton Manufacturers' Association is to be held in Boston in April. The American Cotton Manufacturers' Association has been asked to send a delegation to meet with representatives of the International Cotton Congress and the Southern Cotton Association, all of which committees are to consult together as to the best measures for bringing the grower and the spinner together. At this meeting of the board of governors, this committee will probably be appointed. If the Boston conference takes no decided steps along the lines outlined, an invitation will be extended to the several bodies represented to meet with the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association at their convention at Knoxville, Tenn., in May.

## SENATOR DEPEW GOT ENOUGH.

**Resigned as Director of Equitable, But Gave No Reason.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Dec. 6.—The resignation of United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew as a director of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, was one of the most interesting developments today in the situation growing out of the life insurance situation.

The Senator's resignation was tendered to President Paul Morton of the Equitable Society in a brief note in which no reason for it was stated.

The report was publisheu to-night that President John A. McCall, of the New York Life Insurance Company, will resign from that company before the next annual meeting of the trustees in April and that if he does not tender his resignation at a meeting of a trustees next Wednesday he will refrain only at the request of the trustees, who, the report said, do not wish to have to elect a temporary president. The published report also stated that the presidency of the New York Life Insurance Company had been offered to John Claflin, a trustee of that company and president of the H. B. Claflin Company, and that Mr. Claflin had refused to accept the office.

The attention of the legislative investigation committee was devoted to-day chiefly to the affairs of the Security Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Binghamton, N. Y., whose president, Charles M. Turner, was on the witness stand most of the day. His testimony and the reading of many contracts served to describe in detail the organization of the Agency and Investment Company of Binghampton in 1893. This company paid the salary of the president of the Security Mutual Life Insurance Company at first; advanced it money amounting to $87,000, agreed to furnish it with insurance business at the rate of $5,000,000 a year and received in return a five per cent. commission on all new premiums on the insurance written by the company. The stock of this agency company, which amounted to $125,000, President Turner said, was issued to himself and his associates in the Security Mutual Life in payment for the money they advanced to the insurance company. It covered also, he said, a $10,000 compensation to himself and what Charles E. Hughes, counsel for the committee, called "$28,000 of velvet."

## MRS. ROGERS MUST BE HANGED.

**No Hope for Woman who Murdered Her Husband.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Rutland, Vt., Dec. 6.—Attorneys for Mrs. Mary Rogers, whose execution is fixed for Friday next, have not given up hope of obtaining another reprieve from Governor Charles J. Bell, who is now on his way home from Chicago. After an extended conference of lawyers, here to-night, the Governor's secretary was called by telephone and it was learned that the Governor would probably reach Montpelier early Friday morning. While the nature of the attorneys' plan for a postponement of the execution could not be learned to-night, it nevertheless was ascertained that several papers had been prepared for the Goverenor's examination.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 6.—"If ever a woman should hang, Mrs. Rogers is that one," was the declaration of Governor Bell, of Vermont, who was here to-day.

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## GENERAL SAKHAROFF ASSASSINATED BY WOMAN

**Former Minister of War Shot Three Times—Believed that Witte's Days Are Numbered.**

By Cable to The Morning Star.

London, Dec. 6.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Telegraph, in a dispatch dated December 5, sent by way of Eydtkuhnen, East Prussia, says:

"Lieutenant General Sakharoff, former Minister of War, was assassinated today The government had deputed General Sakharoff to visit the Province of Saratoff for the purpose of quelling the agrarian riots there. A woman belonging to the so-called 'Flying Columns of the revolutionary movement, called at the house of the governor of Saratoff at noon today and asked to see General Sakharoff. She fired three revolver shots at the general, killing him on the spot."

"The tidings reached St. Petersburg tonight. Count Witte charged Lieutenant General Rudiger, Minister of War, with the task of breaking the news to Madame Sakharoff. The event has created a profound impression in St. Petersburg owing to fears that the revolutionists here will follow the example thus set.

The spectre of a military dictatorship, which had been looming on the horizon, is slowly gaining consistency and sharpness of outline. I am personally convinced that Count Witte's faith in the good sense and political tact of the Russian thinking classes, which recently was as firm as a rock, is gradually weakening, and with it his hopes for the carrying out of the liberties promised in the Emperor's manifesto."

**Revolt of St. Petersburg Garrison.**

London, December 7.—The correspondent of The Times at St. Petersburg, says:

"I am informed on excellent authority that a revolt of the St. Petersburg garrison is certain to occur,

## DIVORCED KENTUCKY WOMAN.

**Capture of Mrs. Berry, Who for Week Defied Officers.**

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Girard, Kas., Dec. 6.—Mrs. Ina Berry, who, since Friday last, had held the town officials at bay from her fort in the toilet room of a Frisco railway coach on the tracks here, was removed shortly before noon, after she had been partially overcome by the fumes of ammonia. A bundle of rags saturated with the drug had been pushed through the window of the toilet room. Before surrendering Mrs. Berry fired one shot at her captors but without effect. Before she could shoot again, Mrs. Berry was overpowered by two officers. After being assured that the officers and the people of Girard were her friends, and that the officers had come to protect her, the woman made but feeble effort at resistance. She was removed in a carriage to the jail and placed under the care of the city physician. Once inside the jail and made confident that the attendants were working in her behalf, Mrs. Berry quieted down and talked rationally. Emaciated by her long fast, and weakened from loss of sleep and from exposure, the woman presented a pitiable appearance. Her clothes were torn, her face and hands badly soiled and her hair disheveled. Mrs. Berry will be delivered into the custory of the probate court.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 6.—The identity of the woman, who for several days, defied the authorities at Girard, Kas., was fully established this morning when James F. Berry, a grocer here, visited the officers of a local law firm. Mr. Berry says the woman is his divorced wife, and although he has again married, he will assist her in her present trouble.

Bristol, Va., Dec. 6.—A special from Lexington, Ky., says:

Mrs. James F. Berry, who defied the authorities at Girard, Kas., was prior to her marriage a Miss Bailey, of Lee county, Virginia, her father being N. C. Bailey, wealthy citizen of that county. She is related to some of the most prominent people of Southwest Virginia.

## CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS.

**Bill Introduced to Make It Felony for Corporations.**

By Wire to The Morning Star

Washington, Dec. 6.—Senator Culberson introduced a bill to-day making it a felony for insurance companies or any other corporation to contribute money or anything of value toward the election of a president or a vice-president of the United States. It is likewise made a felony for any person to knowingly use for such campaign purposes any money contributed by a corporation. The bill prescribes a penalty of not less than two years nor more than twenty years imprisonment.

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Pursant to an order of the Superior Court issued herein, this is to notify all creditors of the Burgaw Manufacturing Company, a corporation, to file their respective claims, duly proven as the law provides, with the undersigned receivers of said corporation on or before Monday, the 8th day of January, 1906, or they will be denied the right to participate in the assets of said corporation.

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